

PROJECTION: NAD 1983 StatePlane Mississippi West FIPS 2302 Feet AERIAL SOURCE: ESRI Online Imagery (NAIP, July 2014).

LEGEND

Approximate Site Boundary

- Monitoring Well
- ▲ Temporary Monitoing*
- ▲ Stratigraphy Boring
- Soil-Gas Port
- Waterloo Profile
- Proposed Soil-Gas Port

Proposed Residential VI Sample

NOTE: All locations are approximate.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, August 4, 2015 9:12 AM

To:

Luetscher, Greg

Subject:

FW: Grenada VI Investigation- Work Plan Prepared by Arcadis for Grenada

Manufacturing, LLC

Attachments:

0531 001.pdf

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From: Don Williams [mailto:dwilliams@iceindustries.com]

Sent: Monday, August 03, 2015 5:34 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

bastek.brian@epa.gov

Cc: Karp, Jeffrey M.; john.ellis@arcadis-us.com; David W. Nunn; Paul Bishop; Gary Houston

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Enclosed please find the Vapor Intrusion workplan requested in your letter of June 30, 2015. A hard copy was sent overnight. Thank you.

Don Williams

Ice Industries Grenada 635 Highway 332 Grenada, MS 38901 Phone 662.226.1161 ext 6113 Fax 662.226.1166

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Sent: Monday, August 03, 2015 3:24 PM

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Hi John.

Thanks for getting the work plan into everyone on time. If you don't mind can you please email me a clean copy of the work plan. The one I received (attached) was scanned in and may be missing parts, especially with the figures. Thanks.

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FYI. Ben/Ofia, I will forward a SSS work request tomorrow morning to Glenn. Thanks.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, August 26, 2015 11:50 AM

To:

Ellis, John

Cc:

Uppencamp, Robert

Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing

Working on the map. Ben is out, but maybe he can speak with Rob tomorrow morning. I'll call you a little later to discuss both items.

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From: Ellis, John [mailto:John.Ellis@arcadis-us.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2015 11:02 AM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Uppencamp, Robert

Subject: Grenada Manufacturing

Hey Brian,

Have you been able to contact Ben or someone else about the analyte list? I have copied Rob on this email so we hopefully arrange a quick call today to discuss.

Also, any luck on a map?

Thanks, john

John Ellis, P.G. | Principal Scientist / Geologist | john.ellis@arcadis-us.com

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, August 26, 2015 10:09 AM

To:

Luetscher, Greg

Subject:

FW: Moose Lodge Road

Attachments:

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-----Original Message-----

From: Willie_McKercher@deq.state.ms.us [mailto:Willie_McKercher@deq.state.ms.us]

Sent: Tuesday, August 25, 2015 6:09 PM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Cc: Bastek, Brian; trey_hess@deq.state.ms.us; Jimmy_Crellin@deq.state.ms.us

Subject: Fw: Moose Lodge Road

Meredith.

I want to share this letter with you that we put in the mail to Arvin Meritor today in regards to the Moose Lodge Road site work that they have recently been conducting. We want to keep you and Brian in the loop as we continue the site investigations. Let me know if you or Brian have any questions or comments going forward.

Regards, Willie

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Willie McKercher, P.E., BCEE

Assessment and Remediation Branch Chief

Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality

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Willie McKercher@deq.state.ms.us

---- Forwarded by Willie McKercher/HW/OPC/DEQ on 08/25/2015 04:13 PM -----

From: Jimmy Crellin/GW/OPC/DEQ

To: "O'Connor, David A. (David.OConnor@Meritor.com)"

<David.OConnor@Meritor.com>,

Cc: "Dagon, Matthew" < Matt.Dagon@stantec.com >, James Peeples

<JPeeples@tandmassociates.com>, Trey Hess/HW/OPC/DEQ@DEQ,

Willie McKercher/HW/OPC/DEQ@DEQ

Date: 08/25/2015 02:44 PM Subject:Moose Lodge Road

David,

Please see the attached letter discussing the need for further investigation of the Moose Lodge Road Site.

(See attached file: Rockwell Moose Lodge Road 082015 GW review and comment letter(jc).pdf)



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

PHIL BRYANT
GOVERNOR

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

GARY C. RIKARD, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

August 25, 2015

David O'Connor Meritor, Incorporated 2135 West Maple Road Troy, Michigan 48084-7186

Re: Groundwater Monitoring Reports
Rockwell International Moose Lodge Road Disposal Site
Grenada, Mississippi

Dear Mr. O'Conner:

The Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) has completed review of the referenced documents (Reports) prepared on behalf of Meritor by Stantec Consulting Services, Inc. covering groundwater monitoring from the fourth quarter of 2013 through the second quarter of 2015.

The Reports and those prior, adequately document the presence of shallow groundwater contamination at the site in two plumes per sampling of existing wells. The plumes as illustrated in the Reports have been laterally delineated in general by clean sentinel wells. In some areas delineation has been inferred based on an interpretation that net unidirectional plume movement has been minimal due to continual changes in groundwater flow direction. However, groundwater data in the most recent Stantec report and from investigations conducted in May and July of 2015 near the Moose Lodge road site by T&M Associates indicates that the current delineation is not complete.

The recent data indicates that groundwater contamination by constituents seen at the Moose Lodge Road site is present at off-site locations, northwest of monitoring wells PZ-42 and PZ-45, and along an east-west line north of PZ-45 and south of PZ-42. Contamination is present both above and below the nominal on-site lower confining unit. This contamination may have originated at the Grenada Manufacturing plant site, at the Moose Lodge Road site, at locations as yet unknown, or a combination of these sources.

MDEQ therefore directs Meritor to immediately develop a workplan to define, by means of substantiated data, the full extent of lateral and vertical boundaries of groundwater contamination present on the Moose Lodge Road site. Delineation work should focus first on the relationship between contamination present on the Moose Lodge Road site and that seen to the northwest of PZ-42 and PZ-45, and secondly on any co-mingling of groundwater contamination at the Moose Lodge Road site with that seen at the Grenada Manufacturing plant site or from other as yet unknown sources. If it is confirmed that contamination northwest of PZ-42 and PZ-45 has originated on either known Meritor site, or from another source attributable to historic operations conducted by Meritor, MDEQ will require that Meritor, without delay, implement measures to prevent further off-site contaminant migration and to effectively remediate any attributable off-site contamination.

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Letter: David O'Connor August 25, 2015 Page 2

The investigations by T&M Associates referenced in this letter were performed with minimal notification to MDEQ and without opportunity for review or comment. MDEQ requires that plans for any future investigations relative to the Moose Lodge Road site be subject to its approval, and that reports generated in those investigations be submitted to it in a timely manner. MDEQ also requests that any historical information regarding the Grenada Manufacturing site it may desire, or any information on the Moose Lodge Road site not presently in the possession of MDEQ, be made available to it.

Please submit the required workplan and suggested dates for field work, including sampling of existing wells, on or before September 30, 2015.

MDEQ appreciates the continuing cooperation of Meritor and its consultants. Any questions or comments may be directed to Jimmy Crellin at (601) 961-5230.

Sincerely,

James C. Crellin, RPG

Project Manager

cc: Matt Dagon, Stantec
Jim Peeples, T&M Associates
Trey Hess, MDEQ
Willie McKercher, MDEQ

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, August 26, 2015 9:26 AM

To:

Bentkowski, Ben

Subject:

Call today?

Hi Ben. Are you available to have a quick call with Arcadis, the contractor doing the VI sampling in Grenada? Either today or tomorrow. Thanks.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, August 25, 2015 3:14 PM

To:

Reid Stanford; Holtzclaw, Brian

Subject:

RE: Work Plan

Hi Reid. When I have an EPA-approved work plan in my hands you'll be one of the first to receive it. Thanks.

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From: Reid Stanford [mailto:reidstanford@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, August 25, 2015 3:05 PM To: Bastek, Brian; Holtzclaw, Brian

Subject: Work Plan

Hey Guys,

We have hired venders to do testing at the same time that Meritor will be testing. However, we still need the work plan so that we can be coordinating with them on what type of sampling that will be done in the homes. Please get this to me asap so that I can acquire the necessary authorizations.

Thanks, Reid

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, August 25, 2015 11:01 AM

To:

Ellis, John

Subject:

RE: Grenada Public Meeting Sept 1st

Looks like it is just you and me for this call, so I'll just call your number.

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From: Ellis, John [mailto:John.Ellis@arcadis-us.com]

Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 6:44 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada Public Meeting Sept 1st

Let's do 3 EST

From: Bastek, Brian [mailto:Bastek.Brian@epa.gov]

Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 1:51 PM
To: Ellis, John < John. Ellis@arcadis-us.com >
Subject: RE: Grenada Public Meeting Sept 1st

John,

3 EST is ok on this end. Someone who I thought might be on the call and had a conflict at that time isn't working tomorrow so we are good to go. Just let me know either way. Thanks.

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From: Ellis, John [mailto:John.Ellis@arcadis-us.com]

Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 10:21 AM

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I'll get the potential posters over to you.

John

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Sent: Monday, August 24, 2015 9:18 AM
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Monday, August 24, 2015 10:38 AM

To:

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How about 11 EST?

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Friday, August 21, 2015 2:30 PM

To:

Melissa_Collier@deq.state.ms.us

Subject:

RE: Grenada Mfg LLC Outreach Next Week

Attachments:

Mat'l from Ms Zmitrovich at MSDEQ.pdf

As promised. Enjoy! Good to see you this week. Thanks again for your help in the field.

Brian Bastek **Environmental Engineer** U.S. EPA, Region 4 **RCRA Corrective Action and Permitting Section Resource Conservation and Restoration Division** 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, GA 30303 404-562-8511

From: Melissa Collier@deg.state.ms.us [mailto:Melissa Collier@deg.state.ms.us]

Sent: Friday, August 14, 2015 9:35 AM

To: Holtzclaw, Brian

bastek.brian@epa.gov

Cc: Anderson, Meredith; Bastek, Brian; Newman, Keriema

Subject: RE: Grenada Mfg LLC Outreach Next Week

Hey Brian,

One of my staff members used to work for the Health Dept. She provided me with the following contact:

Diane Hargrove, District Administrator 662-563-5603

This is the number in her Batesville office. Some days she works out of Greenwood.

Melissa McGee-Collier, Director Office of Community Engagement Small Business Ombudsman

PO Box 2249 Jackson, MS 39225

700 North State Street Jackson, MS 39201

Phone: 601-961-5025

From:

"Holtzclaw, Brian" < Holtzclaw.Brian@epa.gov>

"Melissa Collier@deg.state.ms.us" < Melissa Collier@deg.state.ms.us >

To: "Bastek, Brian" <<u>Bastek Brian@epa.gov</u>>, "Anderson, Meredith" <<u>Anderson.Meredith@epa.gov</u>>, "Newman, Keriema" <<u>Newman.Keriema@epa.gov</u>> Cc:

08/13/2015 03:42 PM Date:

RE: Grenada Mfg LLC Outreach Next Week Subject:

Melissa:

Thanks. Do you have a contact at the MS Dept. of Health that we can update and reach out to as well, if so, please share. We have updated Carl Blair of ATSDR, our sister federal health agency on these matters. Thanks.

Brian L. Holtzclaw, Community Engagement Coordinator

U.S. EPA, Resource Conservation and Restoration Division holtzclaw.brian@epa.gov 404-821-0697 (work cell); 404-562-8684 (desk)

From: Melissa Collier@deq.state.ms.us [mailto:Melissa Collier@deq.state.ms.us]

Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 12:12 PM

To: Holtzclaw, Brian

Cc: Bastek, Brian; Anderson, Meredith

Subject: Re: Grenada Mfg LLC Outreach Next Week

Ok great! See you next week.

"And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not." Galatians 6:9

On Aug 13, 2015, at 10:53 AM, Holtzclaw, Brian < Holtzclaw.Brian@epa.gov > wrote:

We have a green light from management, looking forward to working with MDEQ next week!

From: Holtzclaw, Brian

Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 6:57 PM

To: Melissa Collier@deq.state.ms.us

Subject: Re: Grenada Mfg LLC Outreach Next Week

Thank you kindly!

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 12, 2015, at 6:45 PM, "Melissa Collier@deq.state.ms.us" < Melissa Collier@deq.state.ms.us > wrote: Got it. Thanks for the updates. My staff and I will offer any necessary support on this project for outreach activities.

Thanks

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On Aug 12, 2015, at 5:40 PM, Holtzclaw, Brian < Holtzclaw.Brian@epa.gov > wrote: Melissa:

Thanks for our great conversation today about our upcoming Grenada Mfg LLC outreach. As promised, here is our communications strategy, which should help fill in the blanks for you.

Also, thanks for volunteering yourself and your MDEQ outreach staff to potentially assist us next week, in light of helping us with conducting critical outreach and filling in some apparent staffing gaps. I will be getting with my management to get their approval on your generous MDEQ offer to assist us from Tuesday, Aug. 18th at 4:30 to Thursday, Aug. 20th at 9:30 am (yourself); as well as Thursday, Aug. 20th at 9:30 to COB (Gloria Tatum and Cassandra Johnson). As indicated, if we assess by Wednesday that a second outreach crew is not needed, we can relay that.

The attachment shows our preparatory work and initial field activities (#17 and #18), as well as the big picture. For the ~85 homes in and near Eastern Heights, we will need to: distribute the fact sheet, convey key messages, answer key questions (to the best we can), encourage participation by the neighborhood to attend the upcoming planned Sept. 1 "Meet and Greet" (with EPA/MDEQ/Permittee/Consultant), as well as achieve signed access agreements for household VI sampling (from the targeted homes on the southern edge of the community).

When I get an answer from my management, I will get back to you. We will be happy to have a conference call to bring you all more up to speed, as needed. The facility's workplan should be finalized shortly, we just got our risk assessor's comments in during the past hour and we can forward that, as well as outreach materials as well. **Thanks again.**

Brian L. Holtzclaw, Community Engagement Coordinator

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<Communications Strategy - Vapor Intrusion Phase I Sampling - Grenada Mfg RCRA facility - Rev 5 081215.docx>

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Sent:

Friday, August 21, 2015 2:28 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sent: Wednesday, August 19, 2015 9:29 AM

To: 'Reid Stanford'; Marquette Wolf

Subject: RE: Eastern Heights Sample Agreements

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Sincerely,

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Sent: Friday, August 21, 2015 11:08 AM

To: Ellis, John

Subject: RE: VI Inspection Video

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John

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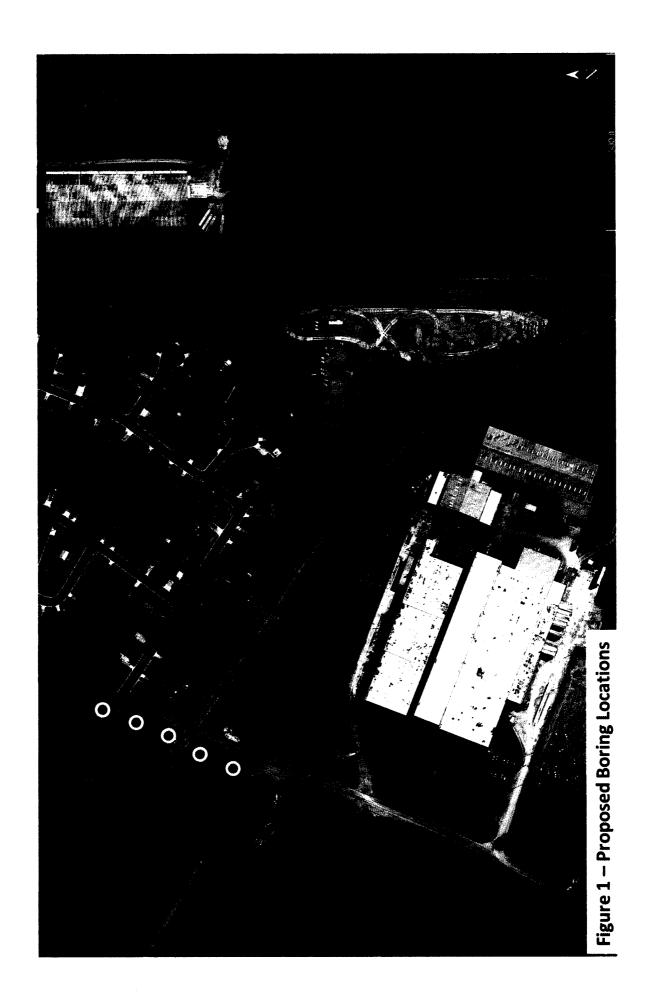
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From:

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Sent:

Friday, August 14, 2015 11:21 AM

To:

Ellis, John

Cc:

Anderson, Meredith

Subject:

RE: Grenada Call

OK, we'll call you then.

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Sent: Friday, August 14, 2015 10:37 AM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada Call

Brian - That would work for me.

John

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To: Ellis, John < John. Ellis@arcadis-us.com >

Subject: RE: Grenada Call

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Sent:

Friday, August 14, 2015 10:09 AM

To:

Ellis, John

Subject:

FW: Grenada Workplan Comments

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Please see attached draft comments from Ofia. Thanks.

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MEMORANDUM

August 12, 2015

SUBJECT:

Review of Interim Measures Work Plan

Vapor Intrusion Assessment Grenada Manufacturing LLC

Grenada, Mississippi

FROM:

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Technical Services Section

Resource and Scientific Integrity Branch

TO:

Brian Bastek, Corrective Action Specialist

RCRA Division

THROUGH: Glenn Adams, Chief

Scientific Support Section Superfund Support Branch

Per your request, I have reviewed the Interim Measures Work Plan for **Grenada Manufacturing**, located in Grenada, MS. My review has focused on the human health risk aspects of the document prepared by ARCADIS, as it pertains to vapor intrusion sampling.

SPECIFIC COMMENTS:

1. Scope of Work, p.2. The author has made several statements in the workplan that "If the evaluation indicates that the VI pathway is incomplete, additional evaluation is not warranted". EPA recommends that any determination that the vapor intrusion pathway is incomplete be supported by site-specific evidence to

demonstrate that the nature and extent of vapor-forming chemical contamination in the subsurface has been well characterized. Ideally, where groundwater is the source of vapors, the plume has been shown to be stable or shrinking to establish that the potential for vapor intrusion to pose a health concern will not increase in the future (USEPA, 2015e; ITRC, 2007). Continued investigations to delineate the areal extent of a subsurface vapor plume would be prudent. If the supplemental groundwater and/or soil gas data indicate that the plume is migrating toward the residential neighborhood, a completed human exposure pathway exists, and additional paired ambient air with indoor air sampling may be warranted.

- **2. Reconnaissance of Structures, p.4.** EPA recommends that part of the reconnaissance efforts include identification of residents to determine if women of reproductive age (or known pregnancy status) live at the six properties along Lyon Drive.
- 3. Laboratory Analysis, p.7. Due to the time-sensitive nature of this sampling effort and potential TCE vapor exposures inside the home, the responsible party should prioritize rapid turn-around-time for the analysis of preliminary results and the final QA/QC results.
- 4. Laboratory Analysis, p.7. Please ensure that the work to be conducted in this investigation and the associated data quality objectives can support the vapor intrusion evaluation. Specifically, the lab should ensure that detection limits for the COPCs are sufficient for VISL screening (USEPA, 2015f).
- 5. Data Evaluation and Reporting, p. 7. The author indicated that data would be evaluated against EPA's OSWER indoor air background studies report (USEPA, 2011a). EPA Region 4 requests that the author revise the text and discuss the background report as an uncertainty. Specifically, address the limitations of the report and its interpretation recognizing that no locations from the southeastern U.S. were represented in the study and the findings may not be generalizable to Grenada, Mississippi. Although published background levels are helpful in interpreting indoor and outdoor air data, site-specific background data are preferred in allowing for quantitative comparisons and are one tool used in a multiple-lines-of-evidence approach to data evaluation and decision-making.
- **6. Data Evaluation and Reporting, p. 7.** The report should indicate a communication plan of results to the six homeowners? What contingency plans are in place to

inform the homeowner(s) if TCE vapor intrusion levels exceed the EPA Region 4 Removal Management Level of 2 ug/m³ (homes with pregnant women or women of childbearing age present) or 6.3 ug/m³ (homes without sensitive subpopulations)?

Recommendations/Action Plan

✓ The work plan should be modified to include SSS's recommendations.

If I can be of any further assistance or if you have any questions, please call me at 404 562 9176.

References:

Interstate Technology and Regulatory Council (ITRC). 2007. Vapor Intrusion Pathway: A Practical Guideline. VI-1. Washington, D.C.: Interstate Technology & Regulatory Council, Vapor Intrusion Team. www.itrcweb.org/Documents/VI-1.pdf

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U.S. EPA 2015f. OSWER Vapor Intrusion Assessment, Vapor Intrusion Screening Levels, Version 3.4, June 2015, found at EPA's Vapor Intrusion Website, www.epa.gov/oswer/vaporintrusion/

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Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, August 13, 2015 11:12 AM

To:

Ellis, John

Subject:

FW: Grenada City Hall Auditorium

Hi John.

EPA would like Arcadis to participate in the public meet and greet session now confirmed for September 1, 2015. Please reserve the facility today and provide some light refreshments as requested below. Give me a call today to discuss.

Thank you.

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From: Holtzclaw, Brian

Sent: Tuesday, August 11, 2015 4:59 PM

To: Bastek, Brian
Cc: Newman, Keriema

Subject: RE: Grenada City Hall Auditorium

Brian:

Before officially reserving, please let me let the n'hood de facto leaders weigh in on location on tomorrow's call.

FYI, if we go with this location --- the reservation is made with Keondria or Roshell Purnell, for Grenada City Auditorium at 662-227-1042 or 662-226-8895. \$100 deposit and \$150 for rental.

We will need it for Sept 1 (Keondria said it is currently available), from 4:30 (to allow for set-up); then actual open house is suggested and forecast for 5:30 to 8 pm. May have hybrid, such as allow for a short public meeting/Q & A format in later time segment.

Will also like their firm to pay for refreshments, food for that evening.

Brian

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, August 12, 2015 8:44 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Cc:

Anderson, Meredith

Subject:

RE: Grenada GW Data

That should work for us. Thanks.

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Sent: Wednesday, August 12, 2015 6:59 AM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada GW Data

Brian:

I am available from 2:30-4:30pm Thursday (tomorrow) to talk if this works for you and Meredith.

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From: Bastek, Brian [mailto:Bastek.Brian@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, August 11, 2015 5:15 PM

To: O'Connor, David A. Subject: Grenada GW Data

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Sent:

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To:

Gaston, Willie

Subject:

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Hi Willie. Can you please prepare this letter for mailing? Thank you.

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Via Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested

Grenada Manufacturing, LLC c/o Mr. Donald Williams 635 Highway 332 Grenada, Mississippi 38901

Subject: Review of 2012 Annual Monitoring Report

Grenada Manufacturing, LLC

Grenada, Mississippi MSD 007 037 278

Dear Mr. Williams:

The 2012 Annual Monitoring Report was submitted to the U.S. EPA in accordance with the 2010 Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) permit for the Grenada Manufacturing, LLC site, located in Grenada, Mississippi. The EPA has reviewed this report and offers the attached comments for the preparation of the 2013 and 2014 reports.

Please review the attached comments and incorporate these modifications, in addition to the other information requested, into the 2013 and 2014 annual reports. The 2012 Annual Monitoring report should not be revised as most comments refer to conclusions and recommendations rather than format.

Thank you for your cooperation on this project as we work to develop a better understanding of site characteristics, contaminant fate and transport, and remediation effectiveness. I am available to discuss these comments with you, so please don't hesitate to contact me at 404-562-8511 or bastek.brian@epa.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Brian Bastek Corrective Action Project Manager RCRA Corrective Action and Permitting Section

cc: Carla Brown, MDEQ

EPA Comments on the 2012 Annual Monitoring Report Grenada Manufacturing, LLC Grenada, Mississippi

August 11, 2015

GENERAL COMMENTS

- 1. The site-wide concentration contours of Chlorinated Volatile Organic Compounds (CVOCs) in the upper aquifer (Figures 3-7 through 3-10) are not properly interpreted and are not consistent with the CSM. The contours should be extended downgradient of the PRB where significant contamination is still present. As currently drawn, the figures give the false impression that the plume terminates at the PRB. Within the upgradient portion, contours of high concentration (e.g., 50,000 ug/L) are drawn in a way that implies a single, highly concentrated, and elongated hot spot area extending across the plume from near the main plant building to the Riverdale Creek, which is not consistent with the CSM. The revised CSM in Appendix E states that multiple discrete source areas downgradient of the primary sources near the main plant caused the plume to disperse to the west. Individual monitoring well data also support the CSM that there are multiple discrete source areas rather than one very high and elongated hot spot extending from east to west. In addition to the concentration contours in plan view, vertical cross sections showing vertical contaminant distribution along a few transects across the plume would be beneficial. It is recommended that the contours be revised to correctly show discrete hot spots, be extended downgradient of the PRB, and the lowest contour be the respective MCL of each CVOC. It is also recommended that select cross-sections be included showing the vertical distribution of CVOCs.
- 2. As discussed in Section 3.8 of the Annual Report, the current sampling protocol was evaluated during the fall 2012 sampling event, and some concerns were identified regarding the representativeness of samples collected with a bailer following the standard three-pore volume purging method used until Spring 2012. The sampling method used during the CY2012 and previous annual monitoring events may have been problematic because samples were not representative of aquifer conditions due to inadequate purging, as demonstrated by the sharp variation between the Spring (comprehensive) and Fall (a select sub-set of wells) sampling results. As stated in the report, some of the variable data obtained from wells in the past may be related to this issue. This issue should be resolved prior to continuing with the current sampling program. An appropriate sampling protocol should be developed so that year-to-year comparison of results and trend analysis are meaningful. It is recommended that the facility conduct test sampling using both bailer and low-flow sampling method to develop a comparison of the two methods at a few select wells. Seasonal variations of groundwater levels between spring and fall should be considered in the evaluation. Ideally, the baseline comparison among alternative sampling methods should be conducted within a short span of time to minimize variables. If the May 2012 sampling results are not representative of actual aquifer conditions, the facility should not wait until the next quadrennial sampling in 2016 for another comprehensive monitoring using the flow-flow sampling protocol for all wells.

It is recommended that Grenada evaluate the monitoring program following a comprehensive baseline sampling, and develop a new sampling protocol using the most representative sampling method.

SPECIFIC COMMENTS

Section 1.4, Page 1-11, Site Conceptual Model

1. The generalized cross section included is the same as the one included in the prior year's report; it has not been updated based on the updated CSM that is presented in Appendix E. In particular, the cross section does not show the discontinuous intermediate clay layer that separates the Upper Aquifer in shallow and deep zones in the eastern portion of site but is absent near Riverdale Creek. The figure also shows the water table to coincide with the boundary between the upper silty clay and the Upper Aquifer, whereas the CSM and modeling states that the water table is always within the Upper Aquifer, and that the silty clay does not affect the groundwater flow characteristics. It is recommended that Grenada update the CSM and figures to be consistent with the updated CSM presented in Appendix E.

Section 1.5, Page 1-11, Report Organization

2. The summary of findings of the monitoring program should be followed by an outline of recommended changes to the monitoring program based on the findings from the CY2012 monitoring results. No recommendations are included following the list of findings in Section 4. It is recommended that Grenada revise the next Annual Report to include a separate section providing recommendations to modify the monitoring program based on the findings.

Section 2.1, Page 2-1, Groundwater Sampling

3. The summary of the groundwater sampling method implies that all sampling was conducted following the same protocol as established in the documents cited. According to Section 3.8, the sampling protocol for groundwater samples collected during the semi-annual sampling of select wells in October 2012 was different from the method followed during the comprehensive quadrennial sampling conducted in May 2012. Grenada should revise the Annual Report to discuss the sampling protocol as outlined in the revised QAPP, and any subsequent amendment to the QAPP to conduct low-flow sampling during October 2012.

Section 2.2, Page 2-1, Summary of Statistical Analysis

4. This section describes the statistical analysis conducted to comply with the facility permit. However, no background information is provided on the purpose of this analysis and why it is mandated. Provide further information on site conditions that triggered the need for the statistical analysis in the context of the facility permit, with details such as the purpose of the evaluation, and the chemicals or concerns (COCs) to be evaluated.

Section 3.1 Page 3-1, Groundwater Flow

5. As demonstrated by the contours in Figures 3-1 and to a lesser extent Figure 3-2, the hydraulic gradient is quite flat in the main plant area, with a sharp increase near Riverdale Creek. To more accurately assess the flow pattern across the site, it is recommended that Grenada revise the next Annual Report to provide separate estimates of hydraulic gradient and groundwater velocity are needed for the eastern part of the site, and for the area upgradient of the PRB. Also, the next Annual Report should be revised to discuss if flow rates in the deep zone are expected to be similar to the shallow zone.

Section 3.2.1.1, Page 3-2, Volatile Organic Compounds

6. The text in this section only provides a qualitative assessment of VOCs. The 2012 values of VOCs are qualitatively compared to past detections; however, none of the trend charts included in Appendix C are referred to support the discussion. The text should provide a more quantitative assessment by citing the range of concentrations measured in spring and fall of 2012 and historical concentrations with references to trend charts. Revise the next Annual Report accordingly.

Section 3.5, Page 3-5, Surface Water Results

7. This section summarizes the surface water sampling results with the data presented in Table 3-7. However, no figure is referenced. Include a map showing the locations of the surface water samples that are listed in Table 3-7. The document should include a reference to Figure 2-2 for the surface water sample locations.

Section 3.8, page 3-7, Evaluation of Monitoring Programs

8. As outlined in General Comment #3, a comprehensive baseline sampling event using concurrent bailer and low-flow sampling is needed prior to permanently shifting to the low-flow sampling protocol. Otherwise, comparison of sampling results using low-flow method with historical results using bailers will provide misleading conclusions. Grenada should develop a new sampling plan following the recommendations outlined in General Comment #3.

Section 4, Page 4-1, Summary of Findings

- 9. The bulleted list on this page includes a bullet on MCL exceedance of metals concentrations in wells downgradient of the PRB; however, there is no bullet summarizing the CVOC concentrations exceedances downgradient of the PRB. Include a second bullet to describe all CVOCs that still exceed MCLs downgradient of the PRB.
- 10. The summary bullet in this section states that VOCs in surface water have reduced below MCLs and remain below MCLs in 2012. Section 3.5.1 states that cis-1,2-dichloroethelene exceeded MCL at one location in Fall 2012. Please clarify this discrepancy.

APPENDIX E

Section 2.2.2.2. Page 2-11 Hydrogeology in the Upper Aquifer

11. The text provides a detailed account of the numerical ranges of hydraulic gradient, porosity, and hydraulic conductivity. However, it fails to state what the range of resulting groundwater value is in feet per day. It is recommended that Appendix E be revised to provide estimates of groundwater flow rates in feet per day. If the values are not consistent with those reported in Section 3.6 of the Annual 2012 Report, the document should explain the discrepancy. The document provides a range of time estimate of the gravel time from AOC A to the Riverdale Creek, but does not provide details on how this range was estimated. Revise the document to clarify how the range was estimated, and if the travel time from AOC A to Riverdale Creek takes into account the variability of the hydraulic gradient across the distance over which the travel time is estimated.

Section 2.3.2, Page 2-14, Contaminant Transport

12. The text in this section states that the gradient reversal has been observed as far east as the PRB, and that this could have resulted in the spread and widening of the plume. Temporary gradient reversal over a short distance is not likely to have caused any significant impact on the overall spread and widening of the plume. The next Annual Report should be revised to provide details regarding observed gradient reversal to support the hypothesis that gradient reversal could contribute to the widening of the plume.

Section 2.3.2.1, Page 2-15, SWMU 2: Equalization Lagoon

13. The statement that continuing transport of CVOCs of approximately the same concentration would occur at the rate of advective groundwater flow is not clear. A more accurate narrative would be that after the CVOCs released from the Equalization Lagoon initially reached the Creek, continuing transport CVOCs would result in a constant mass flux at the Creek as approximately the same concentration of CVOCs would be released from the Equalization Lagoon while it was in operation. Revise the text to clearly describe the process of continuing mass transport from the Equalization Lagoon to the Riverdale Creek.

Section 3.3, Page 3-3, Groundwater Monitoring Near the PRB

- 14. The discussion of concentrations in monitoring wells near the PRB in this section contradicts the information presented in Section 2.3.3. The text here states that concentrations at MW-41 dropped below MCLs in 2010. However, Section 2.3.3 stated that the most recent monitoring data show approximately 8.5 mg/L total VOCs in MW-41, which is several orders of magnitudes higher than the respective MCLs of the three main CVOCs. Revise the text to clarify this discrepancy.
- 15. The document includes a thorough evaluation of flow around and through the PRB, However, no discussion of the estimated residence time of contaminated groundwater

passing through the PRB is provided. The residence time is a critical factor in evaluating the performance of a PRB (http://www.epa.gov/tio/download/rtdf/2-prbperformance_web.pdf.). The estimate of contaminant resident time should be included as part of the overall hydraulic evaluation of the PRB.

16. The conclusion that the PRB panels appear effective in treating groundwater based on geochemical environment and generally low concentrations within the PRB is not supported by the discussion presented in this section. Only the data from the northern transect can be considered to support this conclusion. However, the upgradient concentration also declined after the installation of the PRB due to the effect of various source area treatments and removal actions implemented. Therefore, the concentration decrease cannot be solely attributed to the performance of the PRB. The next Annual Report should be revised to account for other contributing factors that have resulted in an overall decrease of groundwater contamination both up and downgradient of the PRB.

Section 3.4, Page 3-5, Water Level Monitoring Near PRB

17. The primary reason that PRB walls typically have higher permeability than the aquifer is because otherwise the PRB would not be able to accommodate the required flow and groundwater will bypass the PRB, and not because minimal impact to aquifer hydraulics is desired. The next Annual Report should be revised to accurately explain why PRB permeability should be higher than the surrounding aquifer material.

Section 4.1.1, In Situ Slug Testing

- 18. The *in-situ* slug testing of the slurry breakdown wells has produced valuable information and insight to the PRB hydraulics. The test results indicate that, currently, the conductivity of the PRB is in the same order of magnitude as that of the aquifer. However, the conductivity of the PRB after the 2005 installation was higher based on the water level graphs in Figures 3-7 to 3-10. The next Annual Report should be revised to include to state that the permeability of the PRB was likely higher soon after PRB installation.
- 19. Appendix E does not include a comparison of water levels measured in breakdown wells and in-walls. This evaluation would provide further insight into the PRB hydraulics. Provide a comparison of water levels measured in the slurry breakdown wells vs in-wall wells.

Section 4.1.2.3, Page 4-5, PRB Gradient Analysis

20. The analysis presented in this section is relevant to the information provided in Section 3.4 regarding water level monitoring near the PRB. Therefore, a combined and comprehensive analysis of gradients across the PRB would be better than having two different sections presenting and discussion the same general information. Grenada should consider revising Appendix E to include all data and interpretation regarding hydraulic gradient across the PRB in one section.

Section 4.2.1.4, Page 4-13, Solid Analysis

21. This section describes the results of grain size analysis and iron content analysis of core samples from the PRB. The discussion, however, does not provide any comparison of the results compare with typical ZVI PRB material. The text also does not address whether similar analyses were during the design and installation of the PRB. It is recommended that Grenada revise the next Annual Report to discuss how the grain size analysis and iron content of the PRB core samples compares with typical ZVI PRB material, and if there are any grain size analysis and iron content data available from the PRB installation phase for comparison.

Section 4.2.3, Page 4-19, Column Reactivity Measurement

22. As stated in the text, the intended performance of the PRB was to provide direct ironcatalyzed degradation of CVOCs. However, the investigation indicates that the only microbial degradation is taking place, which is not the intended mechanism. Comparable half-lives from column tests does not mean that the outcomes are comparable, as VC is not the intended final breakdown product. The assessment implies that the increased microbial population at the front face is accountable for most of the degradation within the PRB. The evidence of biodegradation, which is also occurring in the aquifer even outside of the PRB, is not justification enough to conclude that the PRB is performing well. Section 4.2.1.5 had stated that "the biological analysis of the PRB core suggest that microbial growth can be an added benefit, provided that the bacteria do not adversely impact the hydraulics or the performance of the PRB; however, the data suggest that such adverse hydraulic impacts may be occurring as a result of microbial growth." It is recommended that Grenada revise the discussion in the next report to further address these issues and provide stronger justification for the conclusion that the PRB is still performing well despite the indication that microbial growth has negatively impacted the PRB hydraulics and there is limited evidence of any abiotic degradation.

Section 5.2, Page 5-2, Updates to the Groundwater Flow and Transport

23. This section provides a thorough description of the updates to the flow and transport model which demonstrates that not only was the model properly modified to incorporate the PRB, the hydrogeological characterization of the aquifer in the updated model is a significant improvement over the 2007 model. It is recommended that Grenada also address how the conductivity values assigned to the cells within the PRB compare with conductivity values from slug tests conducted in 2013.

Section 5.3, Page 5-5, Numerical Model Results

24. This section does not provide details of the flow calibration process or calibration statistics, mean residual, and root mean square of error. The calibration process and statistics are helpful in assessing model adequacy and reliability. Grenada should revise the next report to detail the calibration process, list the calibration statistics, and include a figure showing the observed head and modeled head distribution within the model domain.

The modeled hydraulic conductivity for the PRB is 0.1 feet/day, which is much lower than the conductivity values measured from the in-wall slug tests as discussed in Section 4.1.1, which were from 2 feet/day to 128 feet/day. Use of such low permeability and the resulting flow paths (as shown in Figure 5-12) contradict the conclusion presented later in Section 6.2 that states "The internal permeability of the PRB is somewhat higher than the permeability of the aquifer; therefore, the internal permeability of the PRB likely is not affecting flow through the PRB and the gradient conditions at and near the PRB." According to the PRB testing results presented in Section 4, only the front face of the PRB now has a permeability that is lower than the aquifer material. A separate flow simulation would be beneficial to assess the performance of the newly-installed PRB with higher conductivity values prior to permeability reduction. Grenada should address this discrepancy and revise the model as necessary, and conduct alternative simulations of the PRB prior to and after permeability reduction at the front face of the PRB.

Section 5.4, Page 5-6, Contaminant Transport

25. Appendix E does not clearly address how the degradation of CVOCs within the PRB is modeled, which is critical in simulating the fate and transport of contamination migration through the PRB. Appendix E also does not discuss any qualitative calibration conducted to calibrate or adjust the input parameters of the fate and transport model. While the calibrated flow model has provided very useful information about the PRB hydraulics and performance, it appears that currently there are too many unknowns and assumptions to produce a reliable fate and transport model at this time. Grenada should revise the next Annual Report to address all model assumptions and limitations, and only use the flow model to support the overall PRB performance evaluation until a robust fate and transport model can be developed in the future.

Section 6.2, Page 6-1, PRB Evaluation

26. The second to last conclusion in this section states that "The environment within the PRB appears to remain reactive, and dechlorination occurs at a rate similar to the rate estimated for the PRB design." This conclusion is based on degradation rates from laboratory column tests using core samples, not actual monitoring data from the PRB wall. The last conclusion states "biological reductive dechlorination at or near the ZVI interface appears to be the primary mechanism for dechlorination of chlorinated volatile organic compounds (CVOCs), as compared to abiotic dechlorination apparent in the pre-installation column studies." However, in the absence of any abiotic degradation within the PRB, the biological reductive dechlorination that is limited to the ZVI interface at the front face of the PRB cannot result in similar rate of degradation to the one estimated during the PRB design. Grenada should consider revising these conclusions unless they can be supported by stronger evidence.

Section 6.3, Page 6-2, Fate and Transport Modeling

27. All four conclusions listed in Section 6.2 are based only on the flow model and particle tracking results, and not the fate and transport model results, as stated in Appendix E. The second conclusion "a significant portion of the total flux of impacted groundwater toward

Riverdale Creek still travels through the PRB and is treated effectively by the PRB" is only partially correct as the fate and transport model was not used to simulate the degradation of CVOCs within the PRB. Revise the text in the next report so that the conclusions accurately describe model simulations and results.

Section 6.5, Page 6-3, Additional Work to be completed in 2014

28. One of the main deficiencies of the PRB identified during the PRB evaluation effort was the lack of abiotic degradation within the PRB. Grenada should revise the discussion to indicate if there are any measures that can be recommended to restore abiotic breakdown of CVOCs within the PRB, which is the ultimate performance objective of the PRB.

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Attached is a clean copy of the IMWP (less the cover letter).

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Interim Measures Work Plan – Vapor Intrusion Assessment Grenada Manufacturing, LLC, Grenada, Mississippi. Permit No. MSD 007 037 278

Dear Mr. Williams:

ARCADIS is pleased to provide this Interim Measures Work Plan (IMWP) to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC (Grenada Manufacturing) for its facility located in Grenada, Mississippi (Site) detailing the proposed Vapor Intrusion (VI) Assessment. This IMWP has been prepared in response to the June 30, 2015 United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Region 4 letter to Grenada Manufacturing. The IMWP outlines screening, field work, laboratory analysis, data evaluation and reporting proposed for the scope of work, which will be conducted in accordance with the USEPA OSWER Technical Guide for Assessing and Mitigating the Vapor Intrusion Pathway from Subsurface Vapor Sources to Indoor Air (USEPA, June 2015).

Background

During Site-wide groundwater investigation activities performed by T&M Associates Inc. (T&M), an elevated concentration of trichloroethylene (TCE) was detected in a groundwater sample collected from off-site Monitoring Well MW-20 during a May 2012 sampling event. T&M installed and sampled seventeen soil gas ports (VP-1 though VP-17) in 2013 to further investigate this area. An additional six (6) soil gas ports (VP-101, VP-103, VP108, VP-110, VP112, and VP-114) were installed and sampled by T&M during May 2014. The data and preliminary evaluation from the sampling was submitted to USEPA Region 4 in a letter dated January 17, 2014. Figure 1 depicts the sample locations in relation to the off-site monitoring well MW-20 assessment area. USEPA requested that Grenada Manufacturing prepare an IMWP to evaluate the potential VI pathway in the off-site area in a letter dated June 30, 2015.

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Scope of Work

In an effort to evaluate the potential VI pathway in the off-site area, additional data will be collected. Samples collected will include:

- Soil gas;
- Ambient air:
- Indoor air from select residential buildings; and
- · Sub-slab vapor from select residential buildings.

Additionally, a reconnaissance of any building where indoor air and sub-slab vapor samples will be collected will be conducted prior to sampling.

Details on the sampling procedures and data evaluations are provided below.

Any additional sampling beyond what is described in this IMWP will be based on the data evaluation. The evaluation will use the multiple lines of evidence (MLE) approach described in the USEPA OSWER Technical Guide for Assessing and Mitigating the Vapor Intrusion Pathway from Subsurface Vapor Sources to Indoor Air (USEPA, June 2015). If the evaluation indicates that the VI pathway is incomplete, additional evaluation is not warranted.

Soil Gas Assessment

ARCADIS proposes to install and sample eight (8) shallow soil gas ports as shown on Figure 1. These eight proposed off-Site locations will be installed in close proximity to the existing deeper soil gas ports (VP-2 through VP-6, VP-13, and VP-17), including the ones with the elevated TCE concentrations. A desktop review of the available soil borings and geological cross-sections show that an approximate 8 to 12 foot thick surficial clay layer underlain by a sand layer is present in this area. The existing soil gas ports with detected VOC concentrations were screened at the clay/sand interface or within the water-bearing sand layer. ARCADIS will use this data to evaluate the migration of concentrations detected in the previously installed soil gas ports.

Soil Gas Port Installation

A truck mounted Geoprobe® will be used to create an open borehole and a 2.25-inch diameter Macro-Core® sampler will be used to remove soil from the boring. As part of the reconnaissance, a utility locate will be requested to identify buried utilities in the vicinity of the structures and any proposed soil gas ports, prior to intrusive activities. Soil will be classified in the field and certain soil samples may be collected from select borings for soil moisture analysis. Each of the soil gas ports will be installed to a depth of six (6) feet below ground surface and will be screened from the 5.5 foot to 6 foot interval below ground surface. Soil gas ports will be constructed of 0.25-inch nylon tubing with 6-inch stainless steel screens. The screen will be installed with filter pack sand placed around the screen to 6-inches above the screen. Granular bentonite will be used to fill the remainder of the borehole above the screen filter pack to the surface and hydrated during installation. A protective cover will be installed at the surface. At the surface, the end of the tubing will be equipped with a Swagelok® fitting and a gas tight valve. Upon

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completion of the installation and sealing of each soil gas port, the volume of air in the sand pack will be calculated and approximately 3 times this volume of air will be purged using a low flow air sampling pump set at a rate of 100 milliliters per minute (ml/min).

Soil Gas Port Sampling

A minimum of 24 hours after installation, each soil gas port will be sampled using 1-liter polished stainless steel SUMMA® canisters with calibrated flow controllers that are cleaned and certified by the laboratory. The flow controllers will be calibrated for a sampling duration of 10 minutes (≈ 80 ml/min). Approximately one to three times the dead volume of air will be purged at a rate of 100 ml/min prior to sampling using a low flow air sampling pump. The amount and rate of dead volumes purged will be measured and recorded in the field and will remain consistent between sample locations. The sampling procedure consists of connecting the purge pump to the soil gas port, then turning it on, then opening the soil gas port valve to purge the tubing. At the completion of purging the valve on the soil gas port will be closed, the purge pump removed, and then the sampling canister and flow controller will be connected to the soil gas port. The sampling canister will be opened and then the valve on the soil gas port will be opened. At the completion of sampling, the canister will be closed first and then the soil gas port valve. A final canister vacuum between 2 and 5 inches of mercury will signify that sample collection is complete. At the completion of each sample collection, the Summa canisters will be closed and sealed with a brass Swagelok® cap.

Meteorological data (temperature, precipitation, humidity, barometric pressure, and wind speed/direction) will be collected before and during sampling activities.

Residential VI Assessment

In addition to the supplemental soil gas investigation, ARCADIS proposes to complete VI sampling at six (6) residential properties located on Lyon Drive (as shown on Figure 1). Work will be conducted in accordance with the USEPA OSWER Technical Guide for Assessing and Mitigating the Vapor Intrusion Pathway from Subsurface Vapor Sources to Indoor Air (USEPA, June 2015). The six residential structures on Lyon Drive have been selected based on their relative proximity to known groundwater impacts (MW-20) and potential soil gas impacts (VP-2, VP-3, VP-5, VP-6). Only four of these structures are within 100 feet of the known groundwater or potential soil gas impacts (as shown on Figure 1). The other two properties, east and west of the potentially impacted area, are being assessed as a conservative measure. At this time, no preferential pathways have been identified in the area of potential impacts.

Community Outreach

Prior to engaging property owners regarding the residential VI sampling, USEPA anticipates conducting an outreach meeting with potentially affected community members. The purpose of this meeting will be to disseminate information regarding the Site history, the constituents being assessed, vapor intrusion and the sampling process.

Residential VI sampling will be contingent on USEPA obtaining approval and a signed access agreement from the property owners.

Reconnaissance of Structures

As recommended in USEPA guidance, prior to conducting sampling activities, a reconnaissance of the potentially affected structures will be performed. As appropriate, a visual inspection of the structure's interiors and exteriors will be performed to identify potential preferential pathways (such as utilities) to potential vapor migration into the structures and to identify any background sources or other factors that could affect the quality of indoor air. As part of the reconnaissance, information will be gathered from the homeowner on potential sources within each structure, ventilation systems, and building construction. Identified potential background sources will be removed from the structure during the VI sampling event. Samples collected from the residential structures will be given a unique identification to conceal the identity of the sample locations.

Review of the Grenada County Assessor records indicate that the houses along Lyon Drive are single story buildings with slab-on-grade construction (no basements) and are less than 1,500 square feet in size. Thus, paired indoor air and sub-slab sampling is recommended at each structure.

Indoor Air Sampling

Indoor air samples will be collected using 6-liter polished stainless steel SUMMA® canisters with calibrated flow controllers that are cleaned and certified by the laboratory. The canisters will utilize flow controllers calibrated for a 24-hour sample collection. During the collection process, the indoor air canister will be securely positioned at the breathing zone level for the most sensitive exposed population and located near the center of the structure. Since all six of the structures identified for the residential VI assessment are single story, slab-on-grade construction and are less than 1,500 square feet in size, one indoor air sample location is appropriate. All indoor air samples will be collected under normal home conditions. A final canister vacuum on the flow controller between 2 and 5 inches of mercury will signify that sample collection is complete. At the completion of sampling, the canister will be closed and the flow controller removed. The canisters will be gauged with an independent gauge and the final vacuum recorded. The canister will then be closed and sealed with a brass Swagelok® cap.

Meteorological data (temperature, precipitation, humidity, barometric pressure, and wind speed/direction) will be collected before and during sampling activities.

Ambient Air Sampling

Ambient air samples will be collected outdoors concurrently with indoor air samples to evaluate potential background contaminant sources from outside the structures. Ambient air samples will be collected using 6-liter polished stainless steel SUMMA® canisters with calibrated flow controllers that are cleaned and certified by the laboratory. The canisters will utilize flow controllers calibrated for a 24-hour sample collection. During the collection process, the sample canister will be securely

positioned at breathing height (approximately 5 feet above the ground). It is anticipated that all structures will not be sampled at the same time. It is proposed that instead of collecting ambient air samples at each structure location, that ambient air samples be collected at strategic locations that cover multiple structures at once. One ambient air sample will be collected upwind of multiple groups of buildings. The location of the ambient air sample will be determined based on wind direction at the time of sampling and the forecasted wind direction.

The ambient air sample canister will be placed so as to minimize potential contamination from extraneous sources. The canister will be positioned away from wind shields such as trees or bushes and at least 15 feet away from any buildings. Collection of the ambient air sample will follow the same methodology as described for indoor air samples.

Sub-Slab Port Installation

In accordance with USEPA guidance, a permanent sub-slab vapor port will be installed in the concrete floor near the center of the structure for collecting sub-slab vapor samples. The ports will be installed after the collection of the paired indoor air sample. The sub-slab vapor ports will be designed to lie flush on the upper surface of the concrete floor and to "float" in the slab to enable collection of vapors from sub-slab material in direct contact with the slab or from a pocket of air directly beneath the slab created by sub-slab material subsidence. Stainless steel Vapor Pins™ will be utilized. The Vapor Pins™ will be preassembled for each installation prior to drilling through the floor to minimize exposure time of the sub-slab soils to an open hole

To install a sub-slab vapor port, a rotary hammer drill will be used to drill a 1.125 inch outer diameter hole approximately 2-inches into the floor. The inside of the 1.125 inch diameter hole will be cleaned with a damp towel and then a 0.625 inch outer diameter hole will be drilled through the remainder of the concrete. Once through the concrete, the drill will be allowed to penetrate an additional 2-3 inches into the sub-slab material. The outer diameter hole will be cleaned once more with a damp towel. The Vapor Pins™ will be pressed into the concrete slab and sealed with the supplied non-volatile organic compound silicone sleeve. After the sub-slab vapor port is set, a small aliquot of air will be purged into a Tedlar® bag so to not introduce potential vapors to the building interior. A protective cap will be placed the end of the Vapor Pin™, and finished with a stainless steel thread-on flush mount cover. Once the sub-slab vapor port is installed it will be allowed to set for a minimum of 24-hours prior to sampling.

Sub-Slab Port Sampling

The sub-slab vapor samples will be collected using 1-liter polished stainless steel SUMMA® canisters that are cleaned and certified by the laboratory with a calibrated flow controller. The flow controller will be calibrated for a sampling duration of 10 minutes (≈80 ml/min). The sub-slab samples will be collected by assembling a short (≈16 inches) length of 0.25 inch diameter nylon tubing fitted with stainless steel Swagelok® tube connectors at each end that connect directly to the sub-slab vapor port and the sampling canister. A stainless steel gas-tight valve will be installed near

the canister end of the sample tubing. The sample assembly will be connected to the sub-slab vapor port and approximately three volumes of dead air will be purged from the sample assembly at a rate of approximately 100 ml/min prior to sampling using a 60-ml syringe into a Tedlar® bag so to not introduce potential vapors to the building interior. The sampling canister will then be connected, opened and then the valve on the sample assembly will be opened. A final canister vacuum on the flow controller between 2 and 5 inches of mercury will signify that sample collection is complete. At the completion of sampling, the canister will be closed first and then the sample assembly to the sub-slab vapor port valve. The canisters will be disconnected from the port and the flow controller removed. The canisters will be gauged with an independent gauge and the final vacuum recorded. The canister will then be closed and sealed with a brass Swagelok® cap.

Meteorological data (temperature, precipitation, humidity, barometric pressure, and wind speed/direction) will be collected before and during sampling activities.

Residential VI Seasonal Sampling

In accordance with USEPA guidance, multiple VI sampling events are required to demonstrate that the VI pathway is not complete. Thus, a second seasonal sampling event is recommended in the opposite season as the initial sampling event. The seasonal sampling event will follow the procedures detailed above for soil gas, subslab, indoor air, and ambient air sampling.

Laboratory Analysis

Air samples will be analyzed for the following VOCs:

- 1,1-dichloroethene (1,1-DCE),
- 1,2-dichloroethane (1,2-DCA),
- cis-1,2-dichloroethene (cis-1,2-DCE),
- trans-1,2-chloroethene (trans-1,2-DCE),
- tetrachloroethene (PCE),
- 1,1,2-trichloroethane (1,1,2-TCA),
- trichloroethene (TCE),
- vinvl chloride.
- toluene,
- ethylbenzene,
- 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene,
- chloroform, and
- methylene chloride.

Analysis of the air samples will use USEPA Compendium Method TO-15. Sample media will be ordered from Eurofins Air Toxics, Inc. (Eurofins) in Folsom, California, using proper quality assurance/quality control procedures and chain-of-custody protocols. Analysis of air samples will also be conducted Eurofins. Analytical results

will be reported in concentration units of parts per million by volume (ppmv) and micrograms per cubic meter (µg/m3). To minimize potential effects on the sample integrity, samples will be shipped within 24-hours following collection and the samples will not be chilled during storage. To improve the confidence in measured concentrations, a duplicate sample will be collected and analyzed for the same parameters as the parent samples. Duplicate samples will be collected by connecting two canisters together so that they have the same intake port. One duplicate sample will be collected per 20 samples.

Leak Testing

In accordance with USEPA guidance, leak testing will be performed on the soil gas and sub-slab vapor ports. Leak testing will be accomplished by enriching the atmosphere in the immediate vicinity of the area where the port intersects the ground with a tracer gas and measure a vapor sample from the port for the presence of high concentrations (>10%) of the tracer gas. A shroud consisting of a one-gallon container equipped with two gas valves will be placed over the sub-slab vapor ports and sealed to the ground with modeling clay. The tubing assembly will be passed through the shroud to the outside through a hole that will then be sealed with modeling clay. A cylinder of laboratory grade compressed helium gas will be connected to one gas valve and helium will be introduced to the shroud at a slow rate in order to not pressurize the shroud. A Dielectric MGD-2002 Helium Detector (or equivalent) will be used to measure the amount of helium in the shroud by inserting the detector probe into the second gas valve in the shroud. Once a minimum of 60% helium is detected in the shroud, the port will then be purged and the purged air will be collected in a Tedlar® bag. The helium detector will then be used to screen the sample aliquot in the Tedlar bag. If less than 10% helium is detected in the Tedlar® bag, a SUMMA® canister will then be attached to the tubing assembly and the sample collected while the helium concentration within the shroud is maintained at a minimum of 60%. At the completion of the sample collection, an aliquot of air will be purged again from the port and screened for helium. If less than 10% helium is detected in the Tedlar® bag, the sample will be submitted to the laboratory for analysis. If greater than 10% helium is detected in the Tedlar® bag, the sample will not be analyzed. The sub-slab vapor port will be removed and reinstalled following the procedures detailed above. The sub-slab vapor port will then be leak tested and re-sampled.

Data Evaluation and Reporting

The data obtained from this VI assessment will be evaluated and compared to the calculated Vapor Intrusion Screening Levels (VISLs). Any additional sampling beyond what is described in this IMWP will be based on the data evaluation. The evaluation will use the multiple lines of evidence (MLE) approach described in the USEPA OSWER Technical Guide for Assessing and Mitigating the Vapor Intrusion Pathway from Subsurface Vapor Sources to Indoor Air (USEPA, June 2015). Additionally, data will be evaluated against indoor air background concentrations as identified in the Background Indoor Air Concentrations of Volatile Organic Compounds in North American Residences [1990-2005]: A Compilation of Statistics for Assessing Vapor Intrusion [USEPA 2011]). If the evaluation of the initial and

seasonal sampling events indicate that the VI pathway is incomplete, additional evaluation is not warranted. ARCADIS will prepare a Summary Report of the results from this assessment for Grenada Manufacturing to submit to USEPA.

If you have any questions regarding this IMWP, please do not hesitate to contact us at 225-292-1004.

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Sincerely,

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Attached is a clean copy of the IMWP (less the cover letter).

Please let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks, John

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From: Anderson, Meredith

Sent: Monday, February 25, 2013 3:00 PM

To: david.oconnor@meritor.com

Subject: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan -

EPA review comments

Hi Dave,

I have (finally) had a chance to review the MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan and found it to be a good discussion of the work that took place in October and of the actions proposed as a follow-up. I apologize for the delay, as I have had other projects take priority and dominate my time. Below are comments I have pertaining to this report. Once you have had a chance to look these over, let's discuss any questions or clarifications you may have and update me on the current status of this work.

Thanks, Meredith

General Comments:

- The results of the October investigation are very interesting, and I was pleased to see such a strong correlation between the color tech screening method and the laboratory results. It appears that this was a very beneficial screening tool for this site.
- Are all the primary data gaps (p. 2-5) being filled by the proposed work? In particular, the proposed investigation to address data gaps #1 and #3 (northern plume boundary and the identification of other CVOC sources) should be more clearly specified.
- All soil gas sampling should be conducted consistent with EPA's Vapor Intrusion policy and guidances (see references below). This should be clearly stated in the report and added as references.
- Please add the additional locations discussed below for soil gas sampling, waterloo profiling, and stratigraphic borings.
- Based on the results of the additional investigation, further follow-up actions may be necessary to meet the objectives of this proposal.

Specific Comments:

- p. 1-2: Please add a figure illustrating the conceptual site model in this report and all future reports.
- p. 1-2: Correction At end of the 1st paragraph, MW-12 should be noted, not MW-13.
- p. 2-5: 1st paragraph Please expand the discussion of how the identified impacts aren't consistent with the current CSM.
- p. 3-1: 3rd paragraph The definition of the northern plume boundary should also be mentioned here as a goal of this additional investigation.
- p. 3-1/3-2: Section 3.1 Please add a soil gas sampling location at the western-most home, at MW-20-W1, and at a location west of Rte 332/north of MW-20-W1 (add to Figure 3-1 also).
- p. 3-2: 1st paragraph Expand on the discussion of how the additional soil gas invest "will provide a better definition of the likely source" of CVOCs.

p. 3-2: Please ensure that the soil gas port installation and sampling methods (e.g., size of canister; analytical method (TO-15); length of sample time; etc.) are consistent with EPA policy and guidance. p. 3-2/3-3: Section 3.2 - Please include a discussion of how the proposed groundwater investigation will achieve the data gaps identified on p. 2-5 (gaps #1 and #3); add a location for waterloo profiling and stratigraphy boring at a location west of Rte 332/north of MW-20-W1 (Figures 3-2 and 3-3 also) Table 2-1: QA the results for MW-20-E2 and MW-20-E3 (toluene/TCE mix-up?); also, toluene results should be noted in this table (and in the text) as well.

App. C: The Key for field boring designations vs. final boring designations refers to "MW-20-E4". Should this be corrected to MW-20-W1? (This table appears twice in App. C-both need to be corrected.)

References:

EPA, 2002. *Draft Guidance for Evaluating the Vapor Intrusion to Indoor Air Pathway from Groundwater and Soils (Subsurface Vapor Intrusion Guidance)*. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response, FR Ntice November29, 2002.

EPA, 2012. Superfund Vapor Intrusion FAQs. February 2012. http://www.epa.gov/superfund/sites/npl/Vapor Intrusion FAQs Feb2012.pdf

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Cc:

O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject:

RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan -

EPA review comments

Thank you for your response presented below to the EPA comments on the MW-20 Report. I have reviewed the response and the red-lined report and feel that my comments have been adequately addressed. My only observation is that the location of one new soil gas sample (Figure 3-1; sample located south of MW-20-W1) was not located where I had suggested — I was suggesting that it be located on the east side of Hwy 332 to provide information about the gw-to-soil gas pathway near the residence at the edge of the neighborhood . I am fine with the proposed location, however, if you have other technical reasons for this alternate location.

Please contact me if you would like to discuss this further. Also, please inform me of your sampling schedule so that I can schedule EPA oversight. Thank you.

Meredith Anderson Environmental Engineer EPA-RCRA/Corrective Action 404-562-8608

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Subject: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Hi Meredith:

On behalf of Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), please find attached the written response to EPA's comments on the *MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan* (T&M Associates, December 2012), which was submitted via email dated February 25, 2013 to Mr. David O'Connor of Meritor. Also attached is a "redline" of the Work Plan to assist you in reviewing where revisions/additions have been made to the Work Plan. Based on EPA's comments.

Upon your review of the attached documents, please advise Dave O'Connor (Meritor) that the Work Plan can be finalized. At such time, I will distribute the necessary hard copies of the final Work Plan to you and those individuals copied on this email.

Have a good weekend, JDD

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To: Anderson, Meredith

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Thank you Meredith for emailing! I am open anytime. Will 11 am eastern on Tuesday work?

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FW: MW-20 Work Plan and Addendum (Final)

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Date: 09/17/2012 04:40 PM

Subject: MW-20 Work Plan and Addendum (Final)

Meredith:

Attached, for your records, is the subject finalized plan for the Grenada site. Thank you for the quick review and approval of the plan following our discussions.

I will provide you a schedule of the proposed work shortly . Please call me with any questions.



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To: O'Connor, David A. **Cc:** James A. Peeples

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Thanks, Dave. Everything looks good. This work plan is approved with the changes noted.

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Meredith:

Attached is the revised Plan with proposed Redline changes per our communications earlier this week. If you formally approve the plan, we will issue a Final Plan and begin the planning process to install the wells.

Contact me with any questions. Have a nice weekend.



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Meredith:

Attached, for your records, is the subject finalized plan for the Grenada site. Thank you for the quick review and approval of the plan following our discussions.

I will provide you a schedule of the proposed work shortly. Please call me with any questions.



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Thanks, Dave. Everything looks good. This work plan is approved with the changes noted.

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Meredith:

Attached is the revised Plan with proposed Redline changes per our communications earlier this week. If you formally approve the plan, we will issue a Final Plan and begin the planning process to install the wells.

Contact me with any questions. Have a nice weekend.



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Section 1

Introduction

Groundwater monitoring has been conducted at the ICE Industries, Inc. (ICE) facility (the "Site") in Grenada, Mississippi (Figure 1-1) since 1993. Groundwater samples collected from monitoring well MW-20 have historically contained low levels of volatile organic compounds (VOCs). During the most recent groundwater sampling event, conducted in the fall of 2011, the analytical results for the groundwater sample from this well were measured at 86 micrograms per liter (μ g/L) of trichloroethene (TCE), 88 μ g/L of cis-1,2-dichloroethene (cis DCE), and less than 1 μ g/L of vinyl chloride. These concentrations are consistent with past sampling events. Figure 1-2, taken from the 2010 Annual Report, shows the estimated extent of TCE in Upper Zone groundwater. Figure 1-3, also from the 2010 Annual Report, is the Upper Zone Potentiometric Surface map. Upper Zone groundwater flow in the MW-20 area is northwestward, toward Riverdale Creek.

In comments regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring Report, the Unites States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) indicated that work should be conducted to better define the extent of groundwater impact in the vicinity of well MW-20. Meritor will investigate the extent of groundwater impact near this location, and the Work Plan provided in this submittal describes the methods that will be used to complete the investigation. Upon approval of this Work Plan, Meritor will install an additional well or wells to better define the extent of VOC impact in the northern portion of the groundwater plume, particularly in the MW-20 area.

1.1 Facility History

The Grenada manufacturing facility was constructed by Lyon in 1961 and sold to Rockwell International, Inc. (Rockwell) in 1966. The Automotive Division of Rockwell operated a wheel cover manufacturing facility at the Site from 1966 to 1985, when the plant and property were sold to Textron Automotive Company (Textron), formerly Randall Textron. In 1997, Rockwell spun off its Automotive Division into a corporate predecessor to Meritor, Inc. In 1999, Textron sold the operations and property to Collins and Aikman Corporation, which later transferred the operation to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC (Grenada Manufacturing). In 2008, the plant and property were sold (and leased in part) to ICE.

Throughout much of its history, the facility was used to manufacture automobile wheel covers. Following the acquisition of the Site by ICE, the facility was converted to a stamping plant, providing stamp-formed parts for various industries.

1.2 Summary of Site Remedial Actions

Remedial activities at the Site began in 1990 when waste from the former on-site landfill (SWMU 3) was excavated for off-site disposal, and remediation has continued through 2010 with closure of the former Sludge Lagoon (SWMU 4). The remedial measures have either occurred as interim measures or within the framework of the RCRA Facility Investigation and Corrective Measures Study for the Site. Descriptions of the remedial measures performed are presented in the 2010 Annual Report. The 2010 Annual Report identifies additional documents that can be referenced to obtain further information regarding remedial measures that have been completed at the Site.



1.3 Site Conceptual Model

The stratigraphy at the Site is comprised of a surficial unit containing approximately 8 to 15 feet of clayey silt or silty clay overlying approximately 30 to 50 feet of saturated, fine to medium-grained sands that contain varying amounts of silt. Together, these soils are referred to as the "Upper Aquifer". Within the vicinity of the Main Plant, the sand unit is bisected by a discontinuous clay unit at a depth of 20 to 30 feet below ground surface (bgs). This clay unit was not observed in the western portion of the Site or in the vicinity of the Permeable Reactive Barrier near Riverdale Creek. At the base of the Upper Aquifer the sand unit is a thinly-bedded, slightly-sandy, clayey, silt, which is encountered at depths ranging from 47 to 60 feet bgs and serves as an intermediate confining unit, acting as an aquitard to separate the upper and lower aquifers. This layer is approximately 16 feet thick and has been identified as marl exhibiting much higher blow counts than the overlying soils. Below this unit is another sand layer that comprises the "Lower Aquifer", which is not impacted by VOCs present in the upper aquifer.

The Upper Aquifer is the primary horizontal transport pathway for the Site. Groundwater in this aquifer is generally under semi-confined conditions, flows to the northwest, and discharges into Riverdale Creek. It is believed that Riverdale Creek is in direct communication with the Upper Aquifer, and is a gaining stream in this area.

1.4 Work Plan Organization

The remainder of this Work Plan describes the methods to be used to seek to delineate the northern extent of VOC impact in groundwater. All work will be conducted in accordance with the Site-specific Health and Safety Plan and the approved Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for this Site.



Section 2

MW-20 Area Investigation

2.1 New Well Locations

MW-20 is located near the south edge of a gravel road that runs parallel to railroad tracks and the northern boundary of the Site. This road is used by trucks hauling material to and from the Dunham, Inc. yard located northeast of the Site. Dunham has an easement with the Grenada Railway to use the haul road. North of the haul road are residential properties with back yards that are close to the haul road (Figure 2-1). The residential property lines are adjacent to the north side of the haul road, although the exact property boundaries are not known. The distance from MW-20 to the nearest house is approximately 80 feet.

MW-20 is located 38 feet south of the nearest resident's fence. The distance between the road and the residential fence north of MW-20 is approximately 10 feet. Overhead electric lines running parallel to the north side of the haul road are approximately 12 feet from the road. Therefore, there is very limited access to a suitable drilling location north of MW-20. A boring will be installed north of MW-20 as close to the overhead power lines as can be accomplished safely.

If the groundwater sample collected north of MW-20 is found to contain VOCs at or above MCLs, the boring will be abandoned, and the northern extent of impact in the vicinity of MW-20 will be evaluated using wells installed east and west of the MW-20 location (Figure 2-1). The eastern location is on the north side of the haul road, south of the residential area. The western location is on the west side of Route 332, north of the railroad crossing. Taken together with the potentiometric surface, the groundwater concentrations of VOCs at the locations described above should enable delineation of VOC impact in the northern part of the plume near MW-20.

Utilities will be marked in areas where borings will be installed. BC will contact the State of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of well MW-20.

2.2 Groundwater Investigation

The groundwater investigation will proceed in the following manner:

1. The boring location north of MW-20 (Figure 2-1) will be installed and a depth series of groundwater samples will be collected through the Geoprobe® tooling and field screened using the ColorTec® field screening methodology. A groundwater sample from the vertical zone with the highest field screening value will be sent to a laboratory for VOC analysis. The sample will be analyzed with a 24-hour turn-around time for analysis. If the analysis of the sample and/or the field screening indicates exceedances of one or more MCLs, the boring will be abandoned and the investigation will proceed in the areas east and west of MW-20 as described in step number 2, below. If the analytical results indicate no exceedances of MCLs, a replacement well for MW-20 will be installed, developed and sampled at this boring location; and steps 2 through 4, below, will not apply. Well MW-20 will be maintained and the new well will replace MW-20 in the sampling program and act as the new northern sentinel well for the groundwater monitoring program. The well will be labeled MW-20R, and will be sampled at the frequency indicated for MW-20 in the sampling plan (following the initial sample obtained for this investigation). The existing



- well MW-20 will be added to the group of wells that are sampled quadrennially until it can be demonstrated that it is no longer needed in the sampling program.
- 2. If the analytical results for the groundwater sample obtained from the boring north of MW-20 indicate an exceedance of MCLs for one or more VOCs, the groundwater investigation will proceed by evaluating groundwater at locations upgradient (east) and downgradient (west) of MW-20.
- 3. A series of three direct-push soil borings will be advanced at the east and west locations shown on Figure 2-1. The borings will be used to better define the nature and extent of VOC impact at these two locations and to select appropriate locations to install sentinel wells.
- 4. The sampling frequency for wells installed east and west of MW-20 will follow the timing that well MW-20 is sampled (based on the groundwater monitoring program). Well MW-20 will remain in the sampling program (unless the location to the north of MW-20 is found to be unaffected by VOCs above MCLs, as discussed in step 1, above).

2.3 Installation and Sampling Methods

Prior to completion of any borings, utilities in the affected areas will be marked. BC will contact the state of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of MW-20.

For all boring locations, a Waterloo Sampler® will be advanced using a Geoprobe® until the screened portion of the sampler enters the water table. The first groundwater sample will be obtained from the Waterloo Sampler® (at the water table) and the sample will be field-screened using Color-Tec® methods to detect the presence of VOCs. A groundwater sample will also be collected from the interval for potential laboratory analysis. The Waterloo Sampler® will then be advanced two feet further into the aquifer and this procedure will be repeated. Sampling will continue as described above until reaching a depth of 25 feet, or 15 feet into the zone of saturation to a depth similar to the depth of MW-20. If the field screening indicates that no impacted groundwater is present at a given boring location, a monitoring well will be installed near this location and sampled to confirm the absence of VOCs (well installation methods are described below). Alternatively, if the field screening indicates the presence of VOC-impacted groundwater, the reserved groundwater sample from the vertical interval with the highest field screening value will be sent to the laboratory for VOC analysis and a monitoring well will not be installed at this location.

Where monitoring wells are to be installed, they will be constructed of 1.5-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC), with 15-foot pre-pack well screens. The wells will be installed through direct-push tooling near the location of the soil boring. A foam bridge will be placed above each well screen to keep sealing materials out of the screened interval. The interval above each well screen will be filled with bentonite grout emplaced through tremie pipe, and a steel flush-mount well protector will be set in a concrete pad. The wells will be developed no sooner than 24 hours after completion. Following development, each well will be purged and sampled for VOCs according to Site groundwater monitoring procedures and following the protocols outlined in the QAPP.

Borings that are not used for well installation will be abandoned using bentonite grout emplaced through a tremie pipe. The grout will extend to within one-foot of the ground surface, and the upper foot at the ground surface will be backfilled with soil and compacted.

Field equipment, such as non-dedicated sampling or down-hole equipment will be decontaminated between use at each sampling location following the procedures outlined in the QAPP. Purge water and soils generated during the sampling event and well installation will be placed into Department of Transportation approved 55-gallon steel drums and transported to the on-site staging area for investigation



derived waste (IDW). Groundwater analytical results will be evaluated to characterize the purge water and soils for transportation and disposal by a licensed waste hauler retained by Meritor.

The new well(s), the soil boring location(s), and the utility markings will be surveyed by a licensed professional surveyor. Water levels measured in the wells will be incorporated into future Site Upper Zone potentiometric surface maps.



Section 3

Schedule and Reporting

Within 60 days of receipt of the sample results from the new wells, Meritor will submit a letter report detailing the findings. Soil boring logs and well construction diagrams will be included, along with well development and sampling forms and the analytical results. A potentiometric map of the Upper Zone will be generated using groundwater elevations from existing wells and the new wells. This map will be used to define the extent of VOC impact in groundwater north of the Site using the location(s) of the new well(s) to effectively bracket the MW-20 location, and thus provide better definition of VOC impact in the northern portion of the plume.

Meritor plans to install the new well(s) within 30 days following approval of this Work Plan, assuming that the needed access agreements are in place with the railroad, and will notify USEPA of the date that the work will begin.



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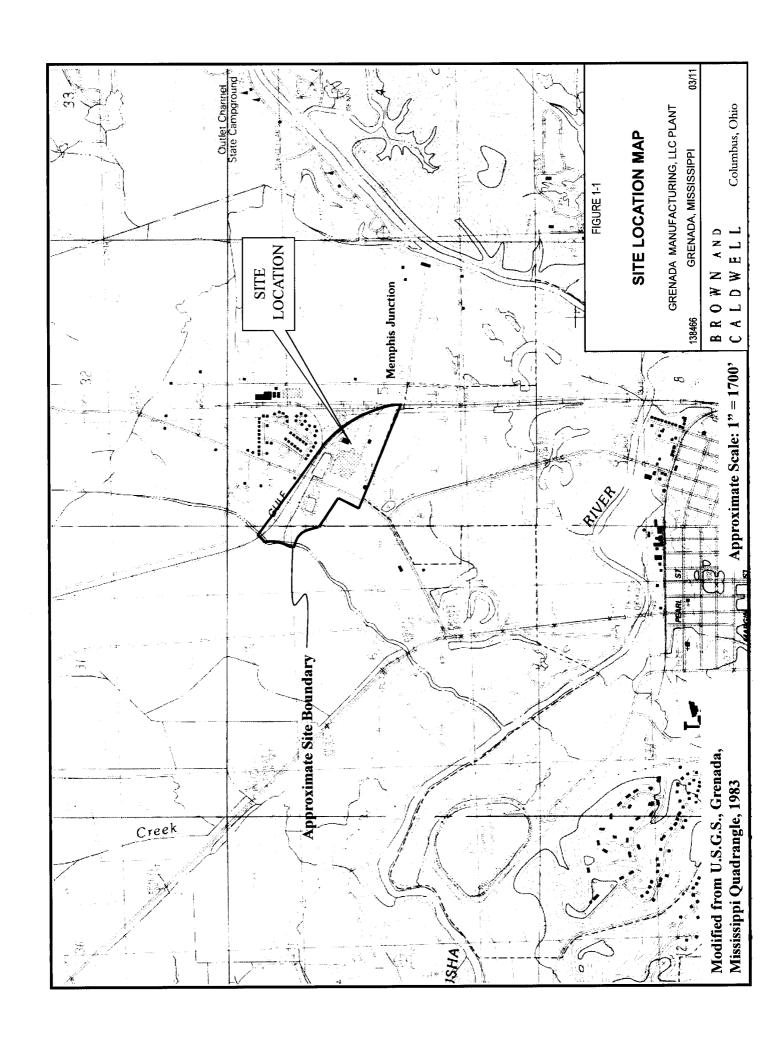
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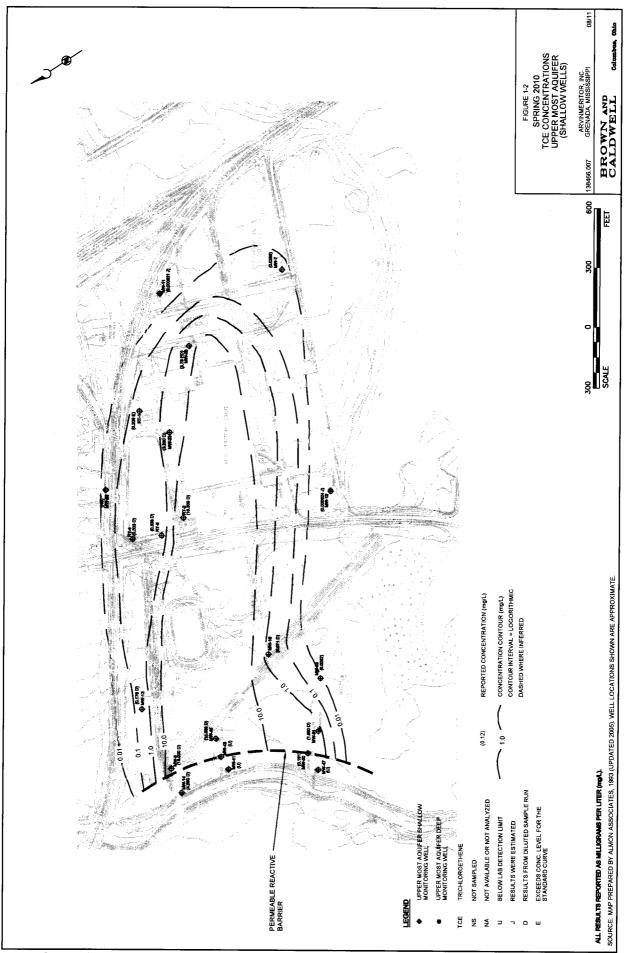
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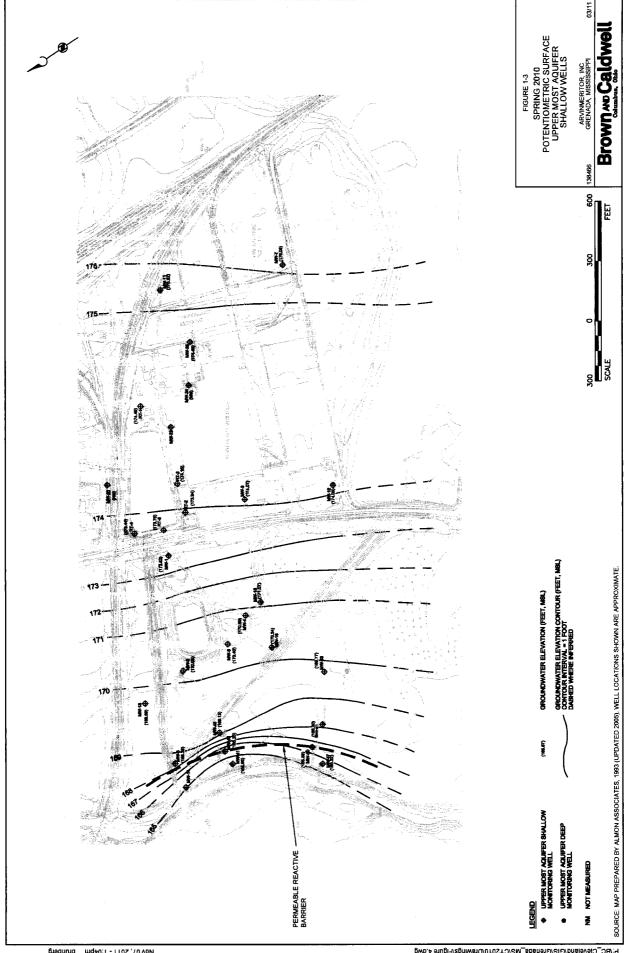


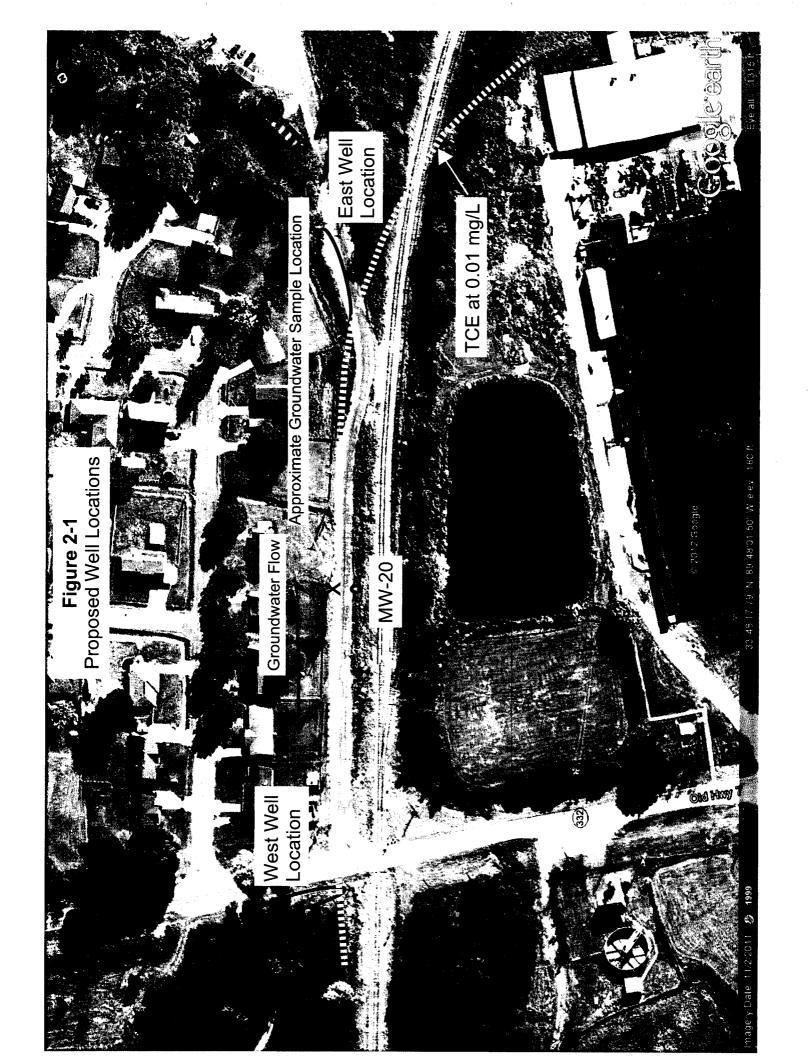
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Addendum 1



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Section 1

Introduction

In a letter dated March 16, 2012 from the United Stated Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), EPA requested the installation of monitoring wells in addition to the wells indicated in the Work Plan for the MW-20 Area Investigation. In subsequent discussions with EPA, the scope of this additional work was further clarified. The purpose of this addendum to the MW-20 Area Investigation Work Plan is to define the locations of the proposed new wells and the methods that will be used to install, develop and sample the new wells.



Section 2

PRB Area Investigation

2.1 New Well Locations

Two wells will be installed at both the northern and southern ends of the PRB at locations A and C shown on Figure 2-1. The two locations (A and C) are approximately 10 feet back from each end of the wall and 10 feet upgradient of the wall. In addition, a deep well will be installed near the location of MW-14 and is designated as Well B on Figure 2-1. Minor field adjustment of these locations may be required based on the conditions encountered in the field. The letters indicated on Figure 2-1 are included as place holders for the permanent well names, which will be designated at the time of well installation based on the existing sequence of well numbers at the Site and the order in which the wells are installed.

2.2 Installation and Sampling Methods

Soils will be logged continuously to total depth (the encounter of the clay Marl) for each boring location (A, B and C). Representative portions of each 4-foot soil interval will be field screened for the presence of VOCs using the Color-Tec method for screening soils. If the field screening indicates the presence of VOCs, the depth interval will be noted. After the boring has been completed to total depth (the clay Marl) groundwater monitoring wells will be installed in zones with the highest field screening results for VOCs using the methods described below. At locations A and C, two wells will be installed in zones where VOC impact is identified. At location B a single well will be installed at the interval with the highest field screening results.

If no zones of VOC impact are identified with the field screening, two wells will be placed at each end of the PRB (locations A and C). In this case, the wells would be constructed with 20-foot screens centered on the upper and lower PRB panels in these locations. At location B, if the field screening does not indicate a zone of VOC impact, a well will be installed with a 20-foot screen centered on the lower zone.

All monitoring wells will be constructed of 1.5-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC), with 15-foot prepack well screens, installed through direct-push tooling at the location of the soil boring. The screen intervals for the wells installed at the ends of the PRB will approximate the center of the lower panel for the deep wells and the center of the shallow PRB panel for the shallow well. The base of the deep well in the location of MW-14 will be placed just above the lower confining clay layer at this location.

A foam bridge will be placed above each well screen to keep sealing materials out of the screened interval. The interval above each well screen will be filled with bentonite grout emplaced through tremie pipe, and a steel flush-mount well protector will be set in a concrete pad. The wells will be developed no sooner than 24 hours after completion. Following development, each well will be purged and sampled for VOCs according to Site groundwater monitoring procedures and following the protocols outlined in the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP).

Field equipment, such as non-dedicated sampling or down-hole equipment will be decontaminated between use at each sampling location following the procedures outlined in the QAPP. Purge water and soils generated during the sampling event and well installation will be placed into Department of Transportation approved 55-gallon steel drums and transported to the on-site staging area for investigation derived waste (IDW). Groundwater analytical results will be evaluated to characterize the purge water and soils for transportation and disposal by a licensed waste hauler retained by Meritor.



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The new wells, the soil boring locations, and the utility markings will be surveyed by a licensed professional surveyor. The new wells will be sampled semiannually as a part of the ongoing monitoring program for the site, until it is determined that a longer duration between sampling events is appropriate for one or more of the wells. At that time, a new sampling frequency will be proposed and submitted to EPA for review and approval. Water levels measured in the wells will be incorporated into future potentiometric surface maps.



Section 3

Schedule and Reporting

Within 60 days of receipt of the sample results from the new wells, Meritor will submit a letter report detailing the findings. Soil boring logs and well construction diagrams will be included, along with well development and sampling forms and the analytical results. Potentiometric maps of the Upper and Lower Zones will be generated using the groundwater elevations from existing wells and the new wells.

Meritor plans to install the new wells in within 30 days following approval of this Work Plan Addendum, and will notify USEPA of the date that the work will begin.



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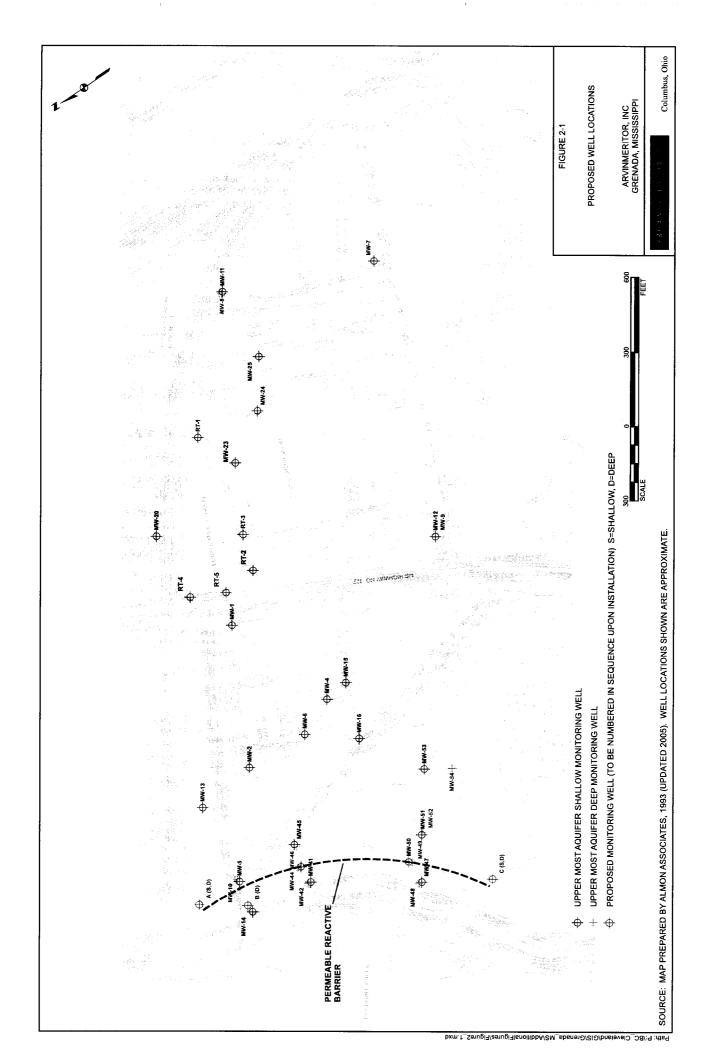
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Hi Meredith:

Thank you for the e-mail, and greatly appreciate your very timely response. When we lock in the date(s) of the field sampling, I will be sure to give you advanced notice so you can make the appropriate arrangements for EPA oversight.

Regards, JDD

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Thank you for your response presented below to the EPA comments on the MW-20 Report. I have reviewed the response and the red-lined report and feel that my comments have been adequately addressed. My only observation is

that the location of one new soil gas sample (Figure 3-1; sample located south of MW-20-W1) was not located where I had suggested – I was suggesting that it be located on the east side of Hwy 332 to provide information about the gw-to-soil gas pathway near the residence at the edge of the neighborhood. I am fine with the proposed location, however, if you have other technical reasons for this alternate location.

Please contact me if you would like to discuss this further. Also, please inform me of your sampling schedule so that I can schedule EPA oversight. Thank you.

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Upon your review of the attached documents, please advise Dave O'Connor (Meritor) that the Work Plan can be finalized. At such time, I will distribute the necessary hard copies of the final Work Plan to you and those individuals copied on this email.

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EPA Review Comments dated February 25, 2013

Dear Ms. Anderson:

On behalf of Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), T&M Associates has prepared this letter in response to EPA's comments on the MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan (T&M Associates, December 2012), which was submitted via email dated February 25, 2013 to Mr. David O'Connor of Meritor. EPA's original comments are included in *italics* and responses have been incorporated in **bold** below each comment.

General Comments:

 The results of the October investigation are very interesting, and I was pleased to see such a strong correlation between the color tech screening method and the laboratory results. It appears that this was a very beneficial screening tool for this site.

The Color Tech screening method correlated reasonably well with the laboratory results and appeared to be a reliable screening tool at this site.

2. Are all the primary data gaps (p. 2-5) being filled by the proposed work? In particular, the proposed investigation to address data gaps #1 and #3 (northern plume boundary and the identification of other CVOC sources) should be more clearly specified.

Meritor's proposed investigation described in Section 3.2 is intended to delineate the northern plume boundary and to determine the source (and/or the originating direction) of the groundwater impact identified in the MW-20 area. If the results of the investigation establish that the groundwater impact observed in this area is not associated with the source area(s) at the Grenada Manufacturing Site, Meritor would not be obligated to find the source of the groundwater plume or the northern plume boundary.

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3. All soil gas sampling should be conducted consistent with EPA's Vapor Intrusion policy and guidances (see references below). This should be clearly stated in the report and added as references.

EPA's vapor intrusion policy and guidances (listed below) are resource tools for assessing and dealing with vapor intrusion issues. Their content will be considered in screening evaluations regarding whether or not the vapor intrusion exposure pathway is complete and, if so, whether it poses an unacceptable risk to human health. Meritor will be implementing the proposed soil gas investigation outlined in Section 3.1, being mindful that these resource tools are available to help define any impact that could be present as a result of soil gas migration from the direction of the Grenada Manufacturing plant or anything to the south and east of the residential neighborhood. These references have been added to the "References" section of the Work Plan.

Reference #1: EPA, 2002. *Draft Guidance for Evaluating the Vapor Intrusion to Indoor Air Pathway from Groundwater and Soils* (Subsurface Vapor Intrusion Guidance), U.S. EPA, EPA530-F-02-052, November 2002.

Reference #2: EPA, 2012. Superfund Vapor Intrusion FAQs. February 2012. http://www.epa.gov/superfund/sites/npl/Vapor_Intrusion_FAQs_Feb2012.pdf

4. Please add the additional locations discussed below for soil gas sampling, waterloo profiling, and stratigraphic borings.

Meritor has revised Section 3.1 and Figures 3-1, 3-2 and 3-3 to include the requested additional locations for soil gas sampling, waterloo profiling and stratigraphic borings. Detailed responses are discussed below in the Specific Comments section.

5. Based on the results of the additional investigation, further follow-up actions may be necessary to meet the objectives of this proposal.

Meritor recognizes that follow-up actions may be necessary based on the results of the additional investigation.

Specific Comments:

1) p. 1-2: Please add a figure illustrating the conceptual site model in this report and all future reports.

Meritor has added the conceptual site model (CSM) as Figure 1-2 of this Work Plan, and will include this figure in appropriate future reports. This CSM model has not

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been updated based on the information obtained in the October 2012 investigation. The results of that investigation were not conclusive with respect to the source of the plume, so it is premature to make any changes to the CSM at this time.

2) p. 1-2: Correction - At end of the 1st paragraph, MW-12 should be noted, not MW-13.

This correction has been made in the text.

3) p. 2-5: 1st paragraph - Please expand the discussion of how the identified impacts aren't consistent with the current CSM.

The discussion on page 2-5 has been expanded to better indicate the inconsistencies of the plume location identified in the MW-20 investigation and the current CSM.

4) p. 3-1: 3rd paragraph - The definition of the northern plume boundary should also be mentioned here as a goal of this additional investigation.

The goal of the soil gas investigation is to determine if there are CVOCs present in soil gas in the vicinity of the residents to the north. If there is little or no evidence of CVOC impact in the soil gas, it will be concluded that the deeper plume identified in the area of the residents is not a concern in terms of indoor air quality for the neighborhood. Moreover, the soil gas investigation is not designed to define the northern extent of the groundwater plume or to determine if there is another source for the groundwater plume. The groundwater investigation described in Section 3.2 will serve that purpose.

5) p. 3-1/3-2: Section 3.1 - Please add a soil gas sampling location at the westernmost home, at MW-20-W1, and at a location west of Rte 332/north of MW-20-W1 (add to Figure 3-1 also).

Meritor has revised Figure 3-1 to include the three (3) requested additional locations for soil gas sampling.

6) p. 3-2: 1st paragraph - Expand on the discussion of how the additional soil gas investigation "will provide a better definition of the likely source" of CVOCs.

The paragraph pertains to the entire investigation, as the investigation will involve multiple Waterloo Profiler sampling locations that will obtain vertical profiles of groundwater CVOC concentration at multiple locations (in addition to soil gas sampling). If the Profiler locations indicate an increase in CVOC concentration as the borings extend further from the Grenada Manufacturing plant, it is likely that another source is responsible for the impact identified in the MW-20 Area. Additional borings

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may be completed at that time, based on the findings, to better distinguish the plumes. It is not expected that the soil gas investigation will provide information for identifying a separate source.

7) p. 3-2: Please ensure that the soil gas port installation and sampling methods (e.g., size of canister; analytical method (<u>TO-15</u>); length of sample time; etc.) are consistent with EPA policy and guidance.

Meritor will ensure that the soil gas port installation and sampling methods are consistent with EPA policy and guidance.

8) p. 3-2/3-3: Section 3.2 - Please include a discussion of how the proposed groundwater investigation will achieve the data gaps identified on p. 2-5 (gaps #1 and #3); add a location for waterloo profiling and stratigraphy boring at a location west of Rte 332/north of MW-20-W1 (Figures 3-2 and 3-3 also).

Meritor has revised Section 3.2 and Figures 3-2 and 3-3 to show the requested additional locations for Waterloo profiling and the stratigraphic boring. Additional discussion has been added to this section to indicate how the data gaps will be addressed by this investigation.

9) Table 2-1: QA the results for MW-20-E2 and MW-20-E3 (toluene/TCE mix-up?); also, toluene results should be noted in this table (and in the text) as well.

Table 2-1 has been revised to correct for data transposition (from laboratory report to Table 2-1) errors associated with TCE concentrations detected at MW-20-E2 and MW-20-E3. Also, Table 2-1 has been revised to include the toluene concentrations detected at MW-20-E2 and MW-20-E3.

10) App. C: The Key for field boring designations vs. final boring designations refers to "MW-20-E4". Should this be corrected to MW-20-W1? (This table appears twice in App. C-both need to be corrected.)

This correction has been made in the text.

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Should you have any questions regarding these responses or this investigation, please contact Dave O'Connor of Meritor (248-435-2706) or Jim Peeples at (614-766-3668).

Sincerely, T&M Associates

Jim Peeples, PE Project Manager Ihsan Al-Fayyomi Division Manager

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Jeff DeLaet

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O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject:

RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan -

EPA review comments

Dave,

Any word on when this work will take place? Also, can you give me an update on when the data from the Oct investigation at the PRB will be available? What is the current status of the evaluation of the PRB? This may be a good time to have a team conference call to check-in on how things are progressing. Let me know when a good time would be, if you think this would be helpful.

Other questions: Has the upload of data to EPA's DART system been successful (I am having issues with this at another site)? Can you provide me with an electronic copy of the 2011 Monitoring Report? Did I tell you that Dave Jenkins retired at the end of Jan?

Thanks for an update.

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Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Hi Meredith:

Thank you for the e-mail, and greatly appreciate your very timely response. When we lock in the date(s) of the field sampling, I will be sure to give you advanced notice so you can make the appropriate arrangements for EPA oversight.

Regards, JDD

Jeff DeLaet, PE Principal Engineer



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Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Thank you for your response presented below to the EPA comments on the MW-20 Report. I have reviewed the response and the red-lined report and feel that my comments have been adequately addressed. My only observation is that the location of one new soil gas sample (Figure 3-1; sample located south of MW-20-W1) was not located where I had suggested — I was suggesting that it be located on the east side of Hwy 332 to provide information about the gw-to-soil gas pathway near the residence at the edge of the neighborhood. I am fine with the proposed location, however, if you have other technical reasons for this alternate location.

Please contact me if you would like to discuss this further. Also, please inform me of your sampling schedule so that I can schedule EPA oversight. Thank you.

Meredith Anderson Environmental Engineer EPA-RCRA/Corrective Action 404-562-8608

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Subject: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Hi Meredith:

On behalf of Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), please find attached the written response to EPA's comments on the *MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan* (T&M Associates, December 2012), which was submitted via email dated February 25, 2013 to Mr. David O'Connor of Meritor. Also attached is a "redline" of the Work Plan to assist you in reviewing where revisions/additions have been made to the Work Plan. Based on EPA's comments.

Upon your review of the attached documents, please advise Dave O'Connor (Meritor) that the Work Plan can be finalized. At such time, I will distribute the necessary hard copies of the final Work Plan to you and those individuals copied on this email.

Have a good weekend, JDD

Jeff DeLaet, PE Principal Engineer



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Chowdhury, Sabina [USA]

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More Grenada info - FW: Grenada MFG 2010 Annual Report comments

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Sabina,

This memo is from the EPA hydro that worked with me for some time until his retirement. Providing this to you so that you can see what some of his issues/concerns were. Thanks. Meredith

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Hi Meredith,

(See attached file: 111122 CY2010 Annual Monitoring Report DJenkins Comments.pdf)

Call me if you want to talk about these comments. A paper copy is on it's way.

Dave x28462



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MEMORANDUM

December 15, 2011

FROM:

SUBJECT: 2010 Annual Monitoring Report for the Grenada Manufacturing Site

David N. Jenkins, Environmental Scientist KIN

Technical Support Section, Superfund Support Branch

THROUGH: Glenn Adams, Section Chief, Technical Support Section, Superfund Support Branch

TO:

Meredith Anderson, RCRA Project Manager

Meredith.

I have reviewed the 2009 monitoring report for the Grenade Manufacturing Site as you requested. Here are my comments. Please call me at 404-562-8462 if you have any questions.

The document reviewed is titled:

Brown and Caldwell, 2011, Annual Monitoring Report Calendar Year 2010, Grenada Manufacturing, LLC, Grenada Mississippi, Brown and Caldwell, 4000 Lakehurst Court, Dublin, OH 43019, November 2011.

I also reviewed my comments dated March 31, 2011 regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring report, which is the only other report related to this site for which I have written comments. The Brown & Caldwell summary of a meeting with EPA on September 15, 2011 (USEPA Meeting Atlanta 9-15-2011.pptx) which I received on October 28, 2011 also was reviewed.

GENERAL COMMENT:

In the March 31, 2011 memo regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring report I stated:

"There are no maps or graphs in this report which help you as the EPA Project Manager understand how the site is progressing. The maps which are in this report do not show the extent of contamination. There are no presentations in this report which would help you convince your management or the public that EPA is performing its responsibilities at this site."

The 2010 Annual Monitoring Report contains many more maps and graphs than were in the original 2009 annual report. The 2010 report contains a brief summary of the site history, shows the locations of operable units on a map (Figure 1-4) and shows the distribution of contamination and concentration trends versus time in various ways. A useful conceptual site model is shown in one of the figures (figure 1-6). Overall this is a good presentation of the status of contaminated groundwater at this site.

Key sample analysis results from 2010 are shown on Figure 3-5. This figure clearly shows, among other things, that high VOC concentrations continue to be observed down gradient from the PRB wall, particularly TCE and VC in wells MW14 and MW41. VOC concentrations up gradient from the PRB wall remain high. The sample results from the two sample events performed in 2010 are also shown in the contoured plume maps on Figures 3-7 through 3-14. Note the values on these figures are reported in mg/L. No regulatory levels, such as MCLs. State ARARs or site-specific target cleanup levels are reported on these figures, which would improve the clarity and usefulness of these figures for some readers. If plotted on Figure 3-7 for example, the MCL for TCE (0.005 mg/L) would be outside of the smallest concentration contour on this map. TCE exceeds the MCL in groundwater throughout the plant site up gradient from the PRB well and also at some locations down gradient from the wall. But as they are, the figures provide an excellent demonstration of where groundwater contamination is relative to source areas, groundwater discharge areas and surface water streams, the PRB remedy, etc.

In the March 31, 2011 memo regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring report I stated the data suggests TCE contamination may migrate laterally around the north and south end of the wall. I also stated that with the data presented there is no way to evaluate whether TCE contamination moves through or vertically under the wall. I continue to believe that contamination may be migrating around the wall, and continue to recommend that additional monitoring wells be installed around the north and south ends of the wall. On the north end of the wall, Figure 3-7 clearly shows that the plume extends beyond the north end of the

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wall, and shows the closest monitoring wells MW5 and MW13 are about 175 feet and 400 feet away from the end of the wall. Again, as noted in the previous paragraph, a contour line representing the MCL for TCE (0.005 mg/L) would plot beyond the lowest concentration contour shown on Figure 3-7.

The TCE concentrations in wells down gradient from the PRB wall continue to be a concern. The conceptual site model (Figure 1-6) shows the PRB is believed to be effectively keyed into the underlying clay, which is shown to be an effective barrier to downward contaminant migration. But the TCE concentrations in MW14 down gradient from the PRB have increased since the PRB was installed and remain high (around 200 times greater than the MCL - see Table 3-2 PDF p.73/231). TCE is detected in surface water at nearby location SW12, and is present at high concentrations in up gradient wells MW2, MW17 and MW5. It isn't clear where the TCE in MW14 is coming from, whether there is a pathway through or under the wall near this location, or whether this particular part of the TCE plume was simply always down gradient from the wall even before the wall was installed in March 2005. Groundwater near MW14 is not treated by the PRB or any other active remedial measure. The TCE concentrations are too high and the travel distance to the stream is too short for Monitored Natural Attenuation (MNA) to be an effective remedy, and there is no indication in the sample results that contamination along this pathway will be depleted soon. As stated in the March 31 memo regarding the 2009 Annual Report: "Natural attenuation is not mentioned as a remedy in this report. This report would not meet EPA requirements if Monitored Natural Attenuation (MNA) was the selected remedy, so there is no remedy in place for contamination which is already past the PRB wall."

While the maps and figures in the 2010 report are much more comprehensive than in the 2009 Annual report, there still "... are no maps in this report showing the distribution of parameters, such as pH, dissolved oxygen, sulfate, etc., which often control or help explain the mobility of metals in groundwater" (March 31, 2011). The well sampling schedule described elsewhere in this memo includes a major sample event in the Spring of 2012. An event this size has not happened since 2008 and will not happen again until 2016. I recommend that the report for major sampling events at this site be used to thoroughly describe the conditions at the site, describe the conditions which are limiting, enhancing or might be modified to enhance contaminant attenuation. These major sample events are rare enough that the reports should be an evaluation of the effectiveness of the remedy and demonstrations of the progress toward cleanup. From the 2001 EPA Handbook of Groundwater Protection and Cleanup Policies for RCRA Corrective Action (p.1.1): "EPA's groundwater strategy generally is to:

- focus resources at facilities that warrant attention in the near term;
- control short-term threats;
- prioritize actions within facilities to address the greatest risks first; and
- make progress toward the ultimate goal of returning contaminated groundwater to its maximum beneficial use."

The maps and tables in this report demonstrate a focus issues at the facility which warrant attention in the near term (Point 1), actions have been prioritized to address the greatest risk first (Point 3), efforts have been made to control short-term threats (Point 2) though the overall effectiveness of the PRB is has not been demonstrated. But the 2010 Annual Report does not address Point 4 of EPA groundwater strategy in any way.

The Annual Report for the Spring 2012 sampling event should include installation of additional monitoring wells around the ends of the PRB to verify the wall is capturing and treating all of the plume. These wells should be installed prior to the 2012 sampling event. Also, some additional characterization should be performed between the PRB wall and MW14 to determine the source or cause of continued high contaminant concentrations in that area 7 years after the PRB was installed.

The Spring 2012 sample event should add to the information regarding the site which will help the total cleanup time which will be required for the site. With this estimate, the potential number of PRB wall replacements and the associated costs of maintaining the remedy can be estimated. This estimate also provides a better benchmark against with supplemental remediation efforts can be evaluated. Figure 3-7 shows groundwater almost 3,000 feet up gradient from the PRB is contaminated at concentrations at least twice the MCL for TCE. TCE concentrations in some wells are 3,200 times greater than the MCL. The PRB remedy must last long enough for contamination to travel to through the wall. Currently, the life of the PRB probably is somewhere between 6 and 15 years based on conversations from our meeting at

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the Brown & Caldwell office in Alpharetta, GA on September 15, 2011 (see Brown & Caldwell summary of USEPA Meeting Atlanta 9-15-2011.pptx Slide 18/20). The wall may require quite a few replacements, but the 2010 report provides no indication of "... progress toward the ultimate goal of returning contaminated groundwater to its maximum beneficial use".

RECOMMENDATIONS:

I am concerned about the performance of the PRB in the area around MW14. Based on the delivery schedule of the 2009 and 2010 Annual Reports to EPA, the data from the Spring 2012 sampling event won't be available until the middle or end of 2013. Wells MW5 and MW10 were scheduled to have been sampled in the 2011 event (Table 1-1 PDF p.55/231). I recommend that EPA ask to see these data from the 2011 sample event as soon as possible.

I recommend that deep zone monitoring be installed near MW14 as soon as possible. All other monitoring locations along the PRB wall include shallow and deeper monitoring wells.

I recommend that at least one pair of monitoring wells (shallow and deeper) be installed near the north and south ends of the PRB wall. These wells should be located near the ends of the wall, but not in the wall material itself, and should intercept groundwater flow paths passing the ends of the wall. Table 3-2 shows TCE concentrations are increasing in wells MW51, 52, 53 and 54 compared to the baseline 2003 sample event. The locations of these wells (Figure 3-7) and the increasing concentration trends indicate the extent of contamination is not defined beyond these wells and that contamination may be moving toward the south end of the wall. Figure 3-7 shows that contamination is already beyond the north end of the wall.

I recommend the installation of a shallow and deep zone pair of monitoring wells in between the MW41/42 cluster and the MW47/48 cluster down gradient from the PRB as soon as possible.

Section 3.6.3.2 requests a reduction in the frequency of surface water samples. Monitoring frequency doesn't appear to be the issue. The data available from monitoring wells with less frequent sampling schedules is still sufficient to define long term trends. The data collected to date has determined that the plume of contaminated groundwater is discharging to surface water. What seems more important for future sampling events is to determine why TCE concentrations are increasing down gradient from the PRB in MW14 nearly 7 years after the PRB was installed. The travel distance from MW14 to the groundwater discharge area at the stream is short. Concentrations in future surface water samples may increase, but the problem originates farther up gradient and additional testing and sampling should focus more in that area.

The 2010 Annual Report discusses problems with water sample turbidity in numerous places and discusses the evaluation of low-flow sampling methods, particularly Section 3.6. Low-flow sampling methods should be used for samples submitted for VOC analysis. Low-flow sampling methods should achieve a turbidity level in samples submitted for metals analysis which is less than 10NTUs. Samples with turbidity levels greater than 10NTUs should not be sent to the laboratory. It is too easy to avoid false-positive analysis results caused by acid preservation of turbid samples. EPA recommends that sample collection crews be directed by the consultant to achieve 10NTUs in purge water, and record the time and turbidity of the water immediately before and again immediately after the sample is collected so there is no doubt regarding the turbidity of the sample in the bottle. Sample turbidity, pH conductivity, dissolved oxygen and oxidation/reduction potential readings should be reported on the same table with the metals analysis results so an interpretation of the metals data can be made.

I recommend that you consult a risk assessor regarding the vapor intrusion issues described in the 2010 Annual Report. I do not recommend that you accept recommendation in this report that vapor intrusion sampling never need be performed again.

I recommend that arsenic be considered a contaminant of concern (COC) at this site. This recommendation conflicts with statements in the 2010 Annual Report.

I recommend that MW2 be added to the site-wide sampling event scheduled for Spring, 2012.

COMMENT REGARDING THE MONITORING WELL SAMPLING SCHEDULE AND SAMPLE DATA MANAGEMENT:

The report states (PDF p. 10/231):

"Seven wells within the interior of the groundwater plume are sampled once every four years. This quadrennial event is scheduled to next occur in the spring of 2012. ... Table 1-1 provides a complete monitoring schedule for the Site."

Table 1-1 (PDF p. 55/231) shows the sampling locations for the Spring 2012 event. All locations will be sampled. A sampling event of this magnitude happens only once every 4 years. All maps and particularly all trend graphs will have to be up dated following this event. There will be a lot of data produced by the 2012 sample event.

Table 3-1 (PDF p. 58/231) in the 2010 report shows groundwater elevation measurements made since the 2009 report in bold print. Table 3-2 (PDF p. 71/231) in the 2010 report shows sample results for VOCs analyzed since the 2009 report in bold print. Additional data was scheduled to be collected in 2011, but the 2012 sample event will be huge compared to these other events.

I presented 12 contaminant concentration trend graphs in my memo regarding the 2009 Annual Report dated March 31, 2011. That memo was my first review for this site and required a lot of time and effort. With a few exceptions, I have not updated the trend graphs for this memo regarding the 2010 report because of the volume of data in Tables 3-1 and 3-2 which would have to be transcribed by hand from the tables. I believe the independent plotting of the data presented in my memo regarding the 2009 Annual Report provided EPAR4 with an interpretation of conditions at the site which was independent from the consultant's report.

I believe EPAR4 should perform an independent evaluation of the data and not rely solely on a consultant's presentation and interpretation of the sample results. EPAR4 receives data from dozens of different consulting companies, perhaps more. Each consulting company has their own style of data management. Sites remain under investigation by EPA and undergo remediation for decades, but consultants change from time to time and site-related data may be lost in this process. Therefore, EPAR4 must expect site related data to be delivered to EPAR4 in our data management format.

If you wish EPAR4 TSS to continue to provide you with an independent interpretation of the site data, the responsible party should be directed to provide sample analysis results, water level data and well construction information, etc., to EPAR4 in the EPAR4 digital data reporting format.

"All required information, instructions and guidance are available via the EPA web site www.epa.gov/region4/waste/sf/edd/edd.html free of charge. This web site contains links to obtain the required software, as well as the most recent versions of the Environmental Data Submissions Guidance, the Region 4 EDD Reference Guide, and the Region 4 EDP Reference Manual." (EPAR4, April 23, 2010, memo from Franklin Hill re: Region 4 Data Management and Electronic Data Deliverables).

Questions regarding electronic data submission or the guidance documents may be addressed to Beth Walden, Remedial Project Manager at (404) 562-8814 (<u>walden.beth@epa.gov</u>), or the DART Coordinator at (404) 562-8558 (<u>R4dartcoordinator@epa.gov</u>).

REGARDING INDOOR AIR INTRUSION OF CONTAMINATED VAPORS:

The 2010 Annual report states (PDF p.17/231) "... sufficient indoor air sampling has occurred to confirm that this potential exposure pathway is incomplete". Figure 1-6 shows the water table is 8-15 feet below the Main Plant Building. Figures 3-7 and 3-8 show the TCE concentration in groundwater beneath the Main Plant building is greater than 10 mg/L and more than 1 mg/L beneath the other buildings of the Main Plant area. The report states that indoor air sampling which occurred in 2003, 2004 and 2009 did not indicate vapor intrusion into the facility.

I have no knowledge of the kind of sampling performed in 2003, 2004 and 2009. But with cVOC concentrations in this range beneath the building, any modeled calculation of vapor intrusion potential is likely to show there is some potential risk. Therefore, I would not agree with previous EPA position as stated in the report that sampling "... not need to be repeated again". It is possible that the ventilation systems in the buildings prevent the accumulation of contaminated vapors and that the construction

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inside the buildings does not contain areas where air flow might be restricted. However, I have no knowledge regarding the construction and ventilation systems of the Main Plant Building, Warehouse Buildings No.1 and 2 or any other smaller structures which may exist on the property.

Periodic sampling may be appropriate while a potential threat remains. I recommend that you consult a risk assessor regarding this issue.

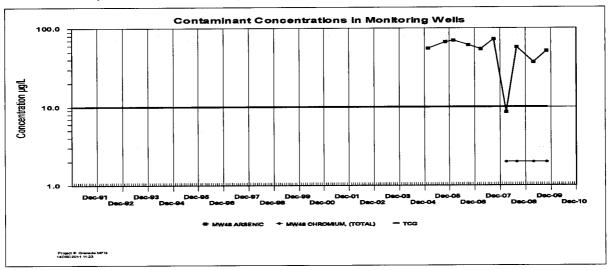
REGARDING ARSENIC CONCENTRATIONS IN GROUNDWATER:

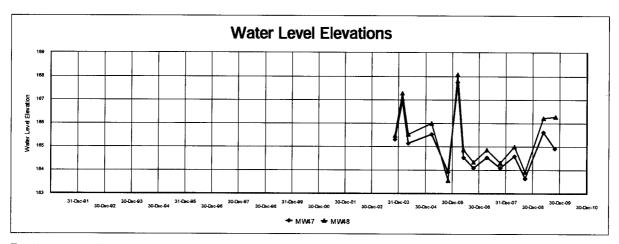
Well MW48 is screened in the deeper part of the upper aquifer down gradient from the PRB close to the stream which is the natural discharge area for groundwater from the site. MW48 is contaminated with arsenic at concentrations which exceed the MCL. The first graph below shows arsenic and chromium concentrations in groundwater from MW48 as reported in the 2009 Annual Report. Table 3-4 (PDF p. 108/231) in the 2010 Annual Report shows sample results for metals in MW48 analyzed since the 2009 report in bold print, but the graph has not been up dated. The second graph below shows water level elevations in the MW47 and MW48 well pair at this location. The deeper well MW48 of has an upward hydraulic gradient, as would be expected at a location close to the stream which is the natural discharge area for groundwater from the site. The upward hydraulic gradient is consistent with the conceptual site model shown on Figure 1-6 of the 2010 report. Contaminated groundwater from the vicinity of MW48 contains arsenic and the other contaminants (see Figure 3-6 and the tables for Section 3). The stream is the natural discharge area for groundwater in this area.

The Brown & Caldwell summary of the meeting with EPA on September 15, 2011 (USEPA Meeting Atlanta 9-15-2011.pptx Slide 19/20) concluded that "Arsenic is not an issue for the site", as does the 3rd bullet in Section 4 of the 2010 Annual Report. EPA did not reach this conclusion with Brown and Caldwell at the September 2011 meeting.

Arsenic has been observed to be elevated in groundwater down gradient from many other contaminated sites and, as noted on Slide 13/20, "Where arsenic is elevated within the plume it can be attributed to reducing conditions (particularly downgradient of the PRB)". But as at other sites, the reducing conditions are caused by releases of contamination from the site which would not have occurred if the release had not occurred. EPA does not agree that the data show background conditions for the site also show elevated arsenic concentrations.

Arsenic should be considered to be a Contaminant of Concern (COC) for this site with a target cleanup concentration equal to the EPA MCL for groundwater.





Farther up gradient along the steam near the MW41 and MW42 well pair, the upward vertical hydraulic gradient is weaker, but a strong downward hydraulic gradient is never apparent in the data up to 2009. But farther up gradient along the steam to MW14, there is no information regarding vertical hydraulic gradients or water quality in the deeper portion of the aquifer because there isn't a deep well paired with the shallow well MW14 (See Figure 2-1). But MW14 has the highest TCE concentrations down gradient from the PRB wall. Based on the TCE concentrations and the hydraulic gradients in other wells down gradient from the PRB, it seems likely that TCE is present in the deeper portion of the aquifer near MW14. A deep well should be installed in the vicinity of MW14.

REGARDING TCE CONCENTRATIONS IN WELLS DOWN GRADIENT FROM PRB WALL:

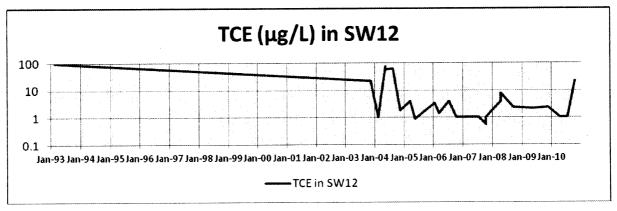
TCE concentrations exceed the MCL in MW14 and MW48.
cis-DCE and vinyl chloride concentrations exceed the MCL in MW14, MW42 and MW48.
Arsenic concentrations exceed the MCL in MW14, and MW48. The highest arsenic concentration in MW14 was recorded in May 2009, 4 years after the PRB was installed.

All of these wells are down gradient from the PRB. Figures 3-1 through 3-4 all show the hydraulic gradient is steeper near the PRB than it is farther up gradient. Both the PRB and the stream influence the hydraulic gradient in this area. The PRB is, by definition and construction, permeable, so groundwater passes through the wall. Contaminant concentrations should be reduced in the wall, so increasing TCE concentrations in MW14 down gradient from the wall more than 5 years after the wall was installed is surprising.

The travel time between the PRB, MW14 and the stream is not presented in the 2010 report. But given that the distances are short and the hydraulic gradient is steep, increasing TCE concentrations in MW14 down gradient from the wall more than 5 years after the wall was installed is surprising.

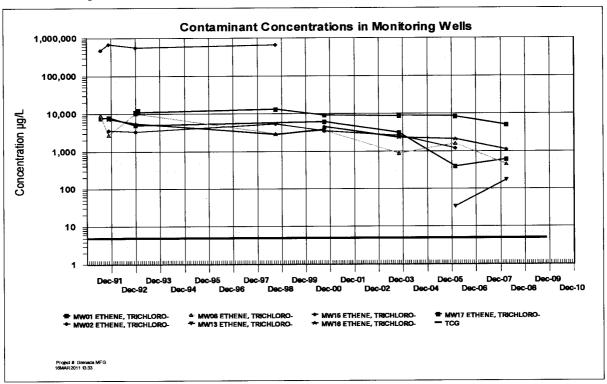
Contaminated groundwater down gradient from the PRB receives no treatment other than what occurs by natural attenuation. The surface water sample results presented in Table 3-8 (PDF p.125/231) from location SW12 (Figure 2-2) which is the closest surface water sampling location to MW14 show the TCE concentration in surface water was 21.6µg/L on October 2010.

The 2010 report states (p.3-5, PDF p.26/231) "TCE concentrations generally have remained consistent or decreased in samples from locations SW-9, SW-12, SW-17, and SW-19 since the PRB was installed." As stated, this is generally true, but the October 2010 sample and the duplicate sample from SW12 contained TCE at concentrations more similar to concentrations observed before the wall was installed than after (see graph below and also see the graph on PDF p.227/231 which shows the same data in a somewhat different form). Smaller increases in TCE concentrations also have occurred in recent samples from SW19 and SW9 (PDF p.227/231 and 228/231). The cause of the TCE increase in the October 2010 sample from the SW12 location is not clear at this time, but it seems like concentrations will increase more in the future based on the increasing TCE concentrations in MW14.



REGARDING TCE CONCENTRATIONS IN WELLS UP GRADIENT FROM PRB WALL:

The Brown & Caldwell summary of a meeting with EPA on September 15, 2011 (USEPA Meeting Atlanta 9-15-2011.pptx Slide 19/20) stated "The CVOC concentrations in the plume body have declined significantly due to source control/treatment measures". The graph below copied from the March 31, 2011 memo regarding the 2009 report confirms that TCE concentrations in some wells up gradient from the PRB have declined an order of magnitude since sampling began.

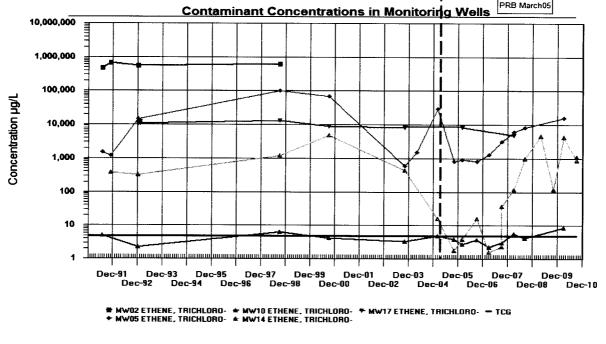


But this is not true for all wells, and recent concentration trends cannot be determined in some wells, particularly MW02 and MW13. Well MW02, shown at the top of the figure above, is not included in the Site Wide Monitoring Schedule (Table 1-1 PDF p.55/231). Well MW2 has some history of NAPL contamination (Section 1.3.7 page 1-7, PDF p.15/231), but the well has not been sampled for more than 11 years. MW2 is a shallow well located near deeper well MW17 on the west side of the SWMU 4 Sludge Lagoon (Figure 3-1). MW17 is the 2nd most contaminated well shown on the graph above. It was sampled in the last Quadrennial event and is scheduled on Table 1-1 to be sampled in Spring 2012. MW2 should be added to the site-wide sampling event scheduled for Spring, 2012.

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The nearest down gradient well (MW5) is more than 500 feet away from MW2 and MW17. TCE concentrations in this well have increased since the PRB was installed to about 16,000µg/L (Table 3-2 PDF p.71/231). TCE concentrations also are increasing on the other side of the PRB at this location down gradient from MW5 at well MW14.

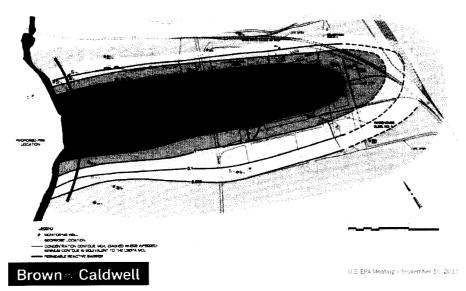
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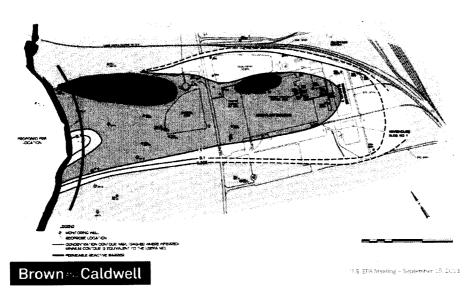
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Lower Aquifer TCE Concentration Map 2004 - Prior to PRB Installation



In the map above, all of the wells plotted in the trend graph above (MW2, 5, 10, 14 and 17) are located on the northern edge of the plume. Up gradient from the PRB, increasing TCE concentrations in this area particularly at MW5 and MW10 may mean the plume is trying to move around the north end of the wall.

Upper Aquifer TCE Concentration Map 2004 - Prior to PRB Installation



In the upper aquifer, the plume is not defined toward the north end of the wall and the concentration increase in MW10 may indicate contaminant movement in the shallow aquifer toward the north end of the

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None of these interpretations appear to explain the TCE concentration trends at MW14, which is down gradient from the PRB where concentrations should be decreasing. I am concerned about the performance of the PRB in this area.

Based on the delivery schedule of the 2009 and 2010 Annual Reports to EPA, the data from the Spring 2012 sampling event won't be available until the middle or end of 2013. Wells MW5 and MW10 are the only wells of this group which were scheduled to have been sampled in the 2011 event (Table 1-1 PDF p.55/231). I recommend that EPA ask to see these data from the 2011 sampling event as soon as possible.

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Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2013 3:31 PM

To: O'Connor, David A.

Cc: Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples; Jeff DeLaet

Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan -

EPA review comments

Thank you for your very informative update! (It appears that we can make much more progress via email vs exchanging many phone messages!)

I will be in FL for spring break (St. George Island this time) on April 10, but am available anytime April 15, 16, or 18. Do any of these dates work for you and your team?

Meredith

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I recall you mentioning that Dave was retiring, but didn't know exactly when. He provided valuable comments and suggestions and was a very good technical resource.



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Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 2:32 PM

To: Jeff DeLaet

Cc: O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Dave,

Any word on when this work will take place? Also, can you give me an update on when the data from the Oct investigation at the PRB will be available? What is the current status of the evaluation of the PRB? This may be a good time to have a team conference call to check-in on how things are progressing. Let me know when a good time would be, if you think this would be helpful.

Other questions: Has the upload of data to EPA's DART system been successful (I am having issues with this at another site)? Can you provide me with an electronic copy of the 2011 Monitoring Report? Did I tell you that Dave Jenkins retired at the end of Jan?

Thanks for an update.

Meredith C. Anderson Environmental Engineer RCRA Div/Corrective Action Section EPA-Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, GA 30303 404-562-8608 404-562-8439 (fax) anderson.meredith@epa.gov From: Jeff DeLaet [mailto:JDelaet@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2013 10:56 AM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Cc: O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Hi Meredith:

Thank you for the e-mail, and greatly appreciate your very timely response. When we lock in the date(s) of the field sampling, I will be sure to give you advanced notice so you can make the appropriate arrangements for EPA oversight.

Regards, JDD

Jeff DeLaet, PE Principal Engineer



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Sent: Tuesday, March 12, 2013 10:49 AM

To: Jeff DeLaet

Cc: O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Thank you for your response presented below to the EPA comments on the MW-20 Report. I have reviewed the response and the red-lined report and feel that my comments have been adequately addressed. My only observation is that the location of one new soil gas sample (Figure 3-1; sample located south of MW-20-W1) was not located where I had suggested — I was suggesting that it be located on the east side of Hwy 332 to provide information about the gw-to-soil gas pathway near the residence at the edge of the neighborhood. I am fine with the proposed location, however, if you have other technical reasons for this alternate location.

Please contact me if you would like to discuss this further. Also, please inform me of your sampling schedule so that I can schedule EPA oversight. Thank you.

Meredith Anderson

Environmental Engineer EPA-RCRA/Corrective Action 404-562-8608

From: Jeff DeLaet [mailto:JDelaet@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Friday, March 08, 2013 3:33 PM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Cc: O'Connor, David A.; Ihsan Alfayyomi; James Peeples

Subject: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Hi Meredith:

On behalf of Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), please find attached the written response to EPA's comments on the *MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan* (T&M Associates, December 2012), which was submitted via email dated February 25, 2013 to Mr. David O'Connor of Meritor. Also attached is a "redline" of the Work Plan to assist you in reviewing where revisions/additions have been made to the Work Plan. Based on EPA's comments.

Upon your review of the attached documents, please advise Dave O'Connor (Meritor) that the Work Plan can be finalized. At such time, I will distribute the necessary hard copies of the final Work Plan to you and those individuals copied on this email.

Have a good weekend, JDD

Jeff DeLaet, PE Principal Engineer



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From:

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Thursday, March 28, 2013 6:21 PM

To:

James Peeples

Subject:

RE: Grenada CY2011 Annual Report

Thank you - got it.

From: James Peeples [mailto:JPeeples@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2013 6:08 PM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Cc: O'Connor, David A.; Jeff DeLaet; Ihsan Alfayyomi

Subject: Grenada CY2011 Annual Report

Meredith,

Please use the link listed below to download the 2011 Annual Report for the Grenada Manufacturing Site in Grenada, Mississippi. If you have any problems downloading the file, please let me know.

Here's the link to this file:

http://www.yousendit.com/download/UVJqZGVRYTJTRTdsZThUQw

Sincerely,

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To:

Chowdhury, Sabina [USA]

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Sent: Monday, April 01, 2013 5:23 PM

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Subject: Grenada MW-20 Investigat

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Anderson, Meredith

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To:

Chowdhury, Sabina [USA]

Subject:

RE: [External] FW: Grenada MW-20 Investigat

Yes, thanks for reminding me. It will be Tuesday, April 16 at 11 EST.

Conference dial-in number:

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Access code:

I will be out of the office all next week, returning on April 15. I'll touch base with you then. Thanks. Meredith

From: Chowdhury, Sabina [USA] [mailto:chowdhury_sabina@bah.com]

Sent: Monday, April 01, 2013 5:45 PM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Subject: RE: [External] FW: Grenada MW-20 Investigat

Thanks Meredith. Do you have the date set for the call yet?

Sabina Chowdhury

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To:

Chowdhury, Sabina [USA]

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RE: [External] FW: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional

Investigation Work Plan - EPA review comments

Yes, it is included in the MW-20 Work Plan for the October investigation. I think I already sent that to you, but will look for it again.

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Sent: Thursday, April 04, 2013 11:40 AM

To: Anderson, Meredith

Subject: RE: [External] FW: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA

review comments

Hello Meredith

Is there a Work Plan available for the ongoing PRB investigation-related activities? I see that the results will be discussed in the 2012 report, but I wanted to see the plan to so see how they plan to implement the recommendations your senior hydrologist David Jenkins' recommendations.

Thanks! Sabina

Sabina Chowdhury

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To: Chowdhury, Sabina [USA]

Subject: [External] FW: Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan - EPA review

comments

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Dave,

Any word on when this work will take place? Also, can you give me an update on when the data from the Oct investigation at the PRB will be available? What is the current status of the evaluation of the PRB? This may be a good time to have a team conference call to check-in on how things are progressing. Let me know when a good time would be, if you think this would be helpful.

Other questions: Has the upload of data to EPA's DART system been successful (I am having issues with this at another site)? Can you provide me with an electronic copy of the 2011 Monitoring Report? Did I tell you that Dave Jenkins retired at the end of Jan?

Thanks for an update.

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Hi Meredith:

Thank you for the e-mail, and greatly appreciate your very timely response. When we lock in the date(s) of the field sampling, I will be sure to give you advanced notice so you can make the appropriate arrangements for EPA oversight.

Regards, JDD

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Thank you for your response presented below to the EPA comments on the MW-20 Report. I have reviewed the response and the red-lined report and feel that my comments have been adequately addressed. My only observation is that the location of one new soil gas sample (Figure 3-1; sample located south of MW-20-W1) was not located where I had suggested – I was suggesting that it be located on the east side of Hwy 332 to provide information about the gw-to-soil gas pathway near the residence at the edge of the neighborhood. I am fine with the proposed location, however, if you have other technical reasons for this alternate location.

Please contact me if you would like to discuss this further. Also, please inform me of your sampling schedule so that I can schedule EPA oversight. Thank you.

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Hi Meredith:

On behalf of Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), please find attached the written response to EPA's comments on the *MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Additional Investigation Work Plan* (T&M Associates, December 2012), which was submitted via email dated February 25, 2013 to Mr. David O'Connor of Meritor. Also attached is a "redline" of the Work Plan to assist you in reviewing where revisions/additions have been made to the Work Plan. Based on EPA's comments.

Upon your review of the attached documents, please advise Dave O'Connor (Meritor) that the Work Plan can be finalized. At such time, I will distribute the necessary hard copies of the final Work Plan to you and those individuals copied on this email.

Have a good weekend, JDD

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Meredith:

Attached, for your records, is the subject finalized plan for the Grenada site. Thank you for the quick review and approval of the plan following our discussions.

I will provide you a schedule of the proposed work shortly. Please call me with any questions.



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Thanks, Dave. Everything looks good. This work plan is approved with the changes noted.

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Meredith:

Attached is the revised Plan with proposed Redline changes per our communications earlier this week. If you formally approve the plan, we will issue a Final Plan and begin the planning process to install the wells.

Contact me with any questions. Have a nice weekend.



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Section 1

Introduction

Groundwater monitoring has been conducted at the ICE Industries, Inc. (ICE) facility (the "Site") in Grenada, Mississippi (Figure 1-1) since 1993. Groundwater samples collected from monitoring well MW-20 have historically contained low levels of volatile organic compounds (VOCs). During the most recent groundwater sampling event, conducted in the fall of 2011, the analytical results for the groundwater sample from this well were measured at 86 micrograms per liter (μ g/L) of trichloroethene (TCE), 88 μ g/L of cis-1,2-dichloroethene (cis DCE), and less than 1 μ g/L of vinyl chloride. These concentrations are consistent with past sampling events. Figure 1-2, taken from the 2010 Annual Report, shows the estimated extent of TCE in Upper Zone groundwater. Figure 1-3, also from the 2010 Annual Report, is the Upper Zone Potentiometric Surface map. Upper Zone groundwater flow in the MW-20 area is northwestward, toward Riverdale Creek.

In comments regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring Report, the Unites States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) indicated that work should be conducted to better define the extent of groundwater impact in the vicinity of well MW-20. Meritor will investigate the extent of groundwater impact near this location, and the Work Plan provided in this submittal describes the methods that will be used to complete the investigation. Upon approval of this Work Plan, Meritor will install an additional well or wells to better define the extent of VOC impact in the northern portion of the groundwater plume, particularly in the MW-20 area.

1.1 Facility History

The Grenada manufacturing facility was constructed by Lyon in 1961 and sold to Rockwell International, Inc. (Rockwell) in 1966. The Automotive Division of Rockwell operated a wheel cover manufacturing facility at the Site from 1966 to 1985, when the plant and property were sold to Textron Automotive Company (Textron), formerly Randall Textron. In 1997, Rockwell spun off its Automotive Division into a corporate predecessor to Meritor, Inc. In 1999, Textron sold the operations and property to Collins and Aikman Corporation, which later transferred the operation to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC (Grenada Manufacturing). In 2008, the plant and property were sold (and leased in part) to ICE.

Throughout much of its history, the facility was used to manufacture automobile wheel covers. Following the acquisition of the Site by ICE, the facility was converted to a stamping plant, providing stamp-formed parts for various industries.

1.2 Summary of Site Remedial Actions

Remedial activities at the Site began in 1990 when waste from the former on-site landfill (SWMU 3) was excavated for off-site disposal, and remediation has continued through 2010 with closure of the former Sludge Lagoon (SWMU 4). The remedial measures have either occurred as interim measures or within the framework of the RCRA Facility Investigation and Corrective Measures Study for the Site. Descriptions of the remedial measures performed are presented in the 2010 Annual Report. The 2010 Annual Report identifies additional documents that can be referenced to obtain further information regarding remedial measures that have been completed at the Site.



1.3 Site Conceptual Model

The stratigraphy at the Site is comprised of a surficial unit containing approximately 8 to 15 feet of clayey silt or silty clay overlying approximately 30 to 50 feet of saturated, fine to medium-grained sands that contain varying amounts of silt. Together, these soils are referred to as the "Upper Aquifer". Within the vicinity of the Main Plant, the sand unit is bisected by a discontinuous clay unit at a depth of 20 to 30 feet below ground surface (bgs). This clay unit was not observed in the western portion of the Site or in the vicinity of the Permeable Reactive Barrier near Riverdale Creek. At the base of the Upper Aquifer the sand unit is a thinly-bedded, slightly-sandy, clayey, silt, which is encountered at depths ranging from 47 to 60 feet bgs and serves as an intermediate confining unit, acting as an aquitard to separate the upper and lower aquifers. This layer is approximately 16 feet thick and has been identified as marl exhibiting much higher blow counts than the overlying soils. Below this unit is another sand layer that comprises the "Lower Aquifer", which is not impacted by VOCs present in the upper aquifer.

The Upper Aquifer is the primary horizontal transport pathway for the Site. Groundwater in this aquifer is generally under semi-confined conditions, flows to the northwest, and discharges into Riverdale Creek. It is believed that Riverdale Creek is in direct communication with the Upper Aquifer, and is a gaining stream in this area.

1.4 Work Plan Organization

The remainder of this Work Plan describes the methods to be used to seek to delineate the northern extent of VOC impact in groundwater. All work will be conducted in accordance with the Site-specific Health and Safety Plan and the approved Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for this Site.



Section 2

MW-20 Area Investigation

2.1 New Well Locations

MW-20 is located near the south edge of a gravel road that runs parallel to railroad tracks and the northern boundary of the Site. This road is used by trucks hauling material to and from the Dunham, Inc. yard located northeast of the Site. Dunham has an easement with the Grenada Railway to use the haul road. North of the haul road are residential properties with back yards that are close to the haul road (Figure 2-1). The residential property lines are adjacent to the north side of the haul road, although the exact property boundaries are not known. The distance from MW-20 to the nearest house is approximately 80 feet.

MW-20 is located 38 feet south of the nearest resident's fence. The distance between the road and the residential fence north of MW-20 is approximately 10 feet. Overhead electric lines running parallel to the north side of the haul road are approximately 12 feet from the road. Therefore, there is very limited access to a suitable drilling location north of MW-20. A boring will be installed north of MW-20 as close to the overhead power lines as can be accomplished safely.

If the groundwater sample collected north of MW-20 is found to contain VOCs at or above MCLs, the boring will be abandoned, and the northern extent of impact in the vicinity of MW-20 will be evaluated using wells installed east and west of the MW-20 location (Figure 2-1). The eastern location is on the north side of the haul road, south of the residential area. The western location is on the west side of Route 332, north of the railroad crossing. Taken together with the potentiometric surface, the groundwater concentrations of VOCs at the locations described above should enable delineation of VOC impact in the northern part of the plume near MW-20.

Utilities will be marked in areas where borings will be installed. BC will contact the State of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of well MW-20.

2.2 Groundwater Investigation

The groundwater investigation will proceed in the following manner:

1. The boring location north of MW-20 (Figure 2-1) will be installed and a depth series of groundwater samples will be collected through the Geoprobe® tooling and field screened using the ColorTec® field screening methodology. A groundwater sample from the vertical zone with the highest field screening value will be sent to a laboratory for VOC analysis. The sample will be analyzed with a 24-hour turn-around time for analysis. If the analysis of the sample and/or the field screening indicates exceedances of one or more MCLs, the boring will be abandoned and the investigation will proceed in the areas east and west of MW-20 as described in step number 2, below. If the analytical results indicate no exceedances of MCLs, a replacement well for MW-20 will be installed, developed and sampled at this boring location; and steps 2 through 4, below, will not apply. Well MW-20 will be maintained and the new well will replace MW-20 in the sampling program and act as the new northern sentinel well for the groundwater monitoring program. The well will be labeled MW-20R, and will be sampled at the frequency indicated for MW-20 in the sampling plan (following the initial sample obtained for this investigation). The existing



- well MW-20 will be added to the group of wells that are sampled quadrennially until it can be demonstrated that it is no longer needed in the sampling program.
- 2. If the analytical results for the groundwater sample obtained from the boring north of MW-20 indicate an exceedance of MCLs for one or more VOCs, the groundwater investigation will proceed by evaluating groundwater at locations upgradient (east) and downgradient (west) of MW-20.
- 3. A series of three direct-push soil borings will be advanced at the east and west locations shown on Figure 2-1. The borings will be used to better define the nature and extent of VOC impact at these two locations and to select appropriate locations to install sentinel wells.
- 4. The sampling frequency for wells installed east and west of MW-20 will follow the timing that well MW-20 is sampled (based on the groundwater monitoring program). Well MW-20 will remain in the sampling program (unless the location to the north of MW-20 is found to be unaffected by VOCs above MCLs, as discussed in step 1, above).

2.3 Installation and Sampling Methods

Prior to completion of any borings, utilities in the affected areas will be marked. BC will contact the state of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of MW-20.

For all boring locations, a Waterloo Sampler® will be advanced using a Geoprobe® until the screened portion of the sampler enters the water table. The first groundwater sample will be obtained from the Waterloo Sampler® (at the water table) and the sample will be field-screened using Color-Tec® methods to detect the presence of VOCs. A groundwater sample will also be collected from the interval for potential laboratory analysis. The Waterloo Sampler® will then be advanced two feet further into the aquifer and this procedure will be repeated. Sampling will continue as described above until reaching a depth of 25 feet, or 15 feet into the zone of saturation to a depth similar to the depth of MW-20. If the field screening indicates that no impacted groundwater is present at a given boring location, a monitoring well will be installed near this location and sampled to confirm the absence of VOCs (well installation methods are described below). Alternatively, if the field screening indicates the presence of VOC-impacted groundwater, the reserved groundwater sample from the vertical interval with the highest field screening value will be sent to the laboratory for VOC analysis and a monitoring well will not be installed at this location.

Where monitoring wells are to be installed, they will be constructed of 1.5-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC), with 15-foot pre-pack well screens. The wells will be installed through direct-push tooling near the location of the soil boring. A foam bridge will be placed above each well screen to keep sealing materials out of the screened interval. The interval above each well screen will be filled with bentonite grout emplaced through tremie pipe, and a steel flush-mount well protector will be set in a concrete pad. The wells will be developed no sooner than 24 hours after completion. Following development, each well will be purged and sampled for VOCs according to Site groundwater monitoring procedures and following the protocols outlined in the QAPP.

Borings that are not used for well installation will be abandoned using bentonite grout emplaced through a tremie pipe. The grout will extend to within one-foot of the ground surface, and the upper foot at the ground surface will be backfilled with soil and compacted.

Field equipment, such as non-dedicated sampling or down-hole equipment will be decontaminated between use at each sampling location following the procedures outlined in the QAPP. Purge water and soils generated during the sampling event and well installation will be placed into Department of Transportation approved 55-gallon steel drums and transported to the on-site staging area for investigation



derived waste (IDW). Groundwater analytical results will be evaluated to characterize the purge water and soils for transportation and disposal by a licensed waste hauler retained by Meritor.

The new well(s), the soil boring location(s), and the utility markings will be surveyed by a licensed professional surveyor. Water levels measured in the wells will be incorporated into future Site Upper Zone potentiometric surface maps.



Section 3

Schedule and Reporting

Within 60 days of receipt of the sample results from the new wells, Meritor will submit a letter report detailing the findings. Soil boring logs and well construction diagrams will be included, along with well development and sampling forms and the analytical results. A potentiometric map of the Upper Zone will be generated using groundwater elevations from existing wells and the new wells. This map will be used to define the extent of VOC impact in groundwater north of the Site using the location(s) of the new well(s) to effectively bracket the MW-20 location, and thus provide better definition of VOC impact in the northern portion of the plume.

Meritor plans to install the new well(s) within 30 days following approval of this Work Plan, assuming that the needed access agreements are in place with the railroad, and will notify USEPA of the date that the work will begin.



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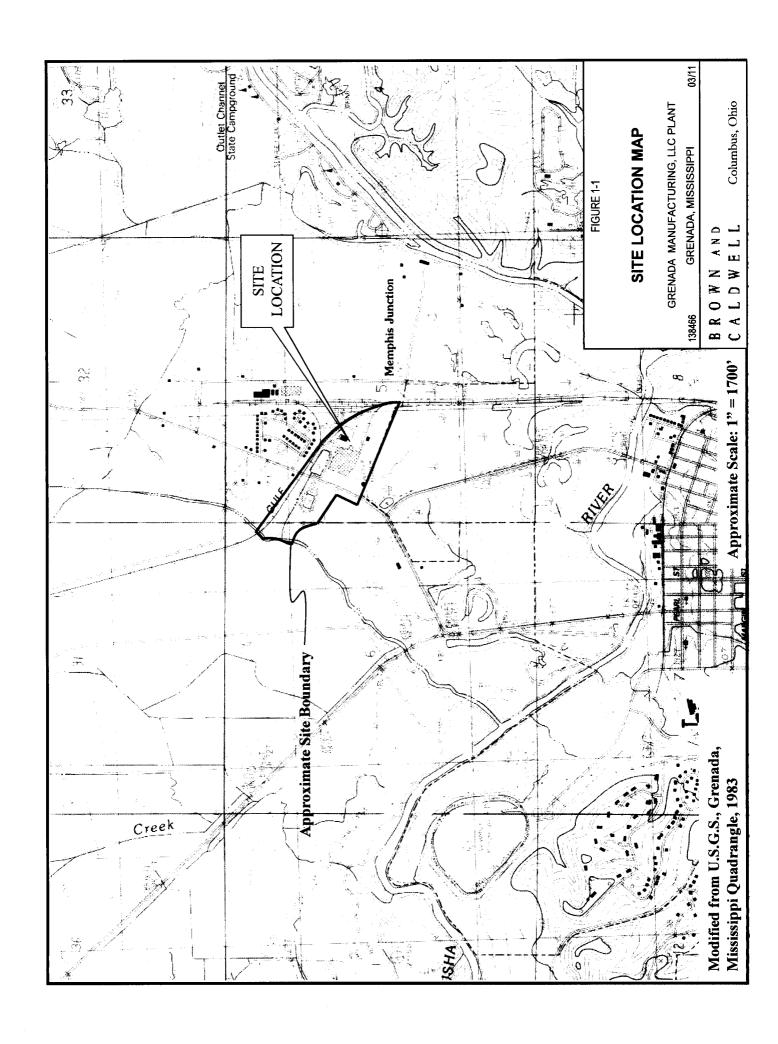
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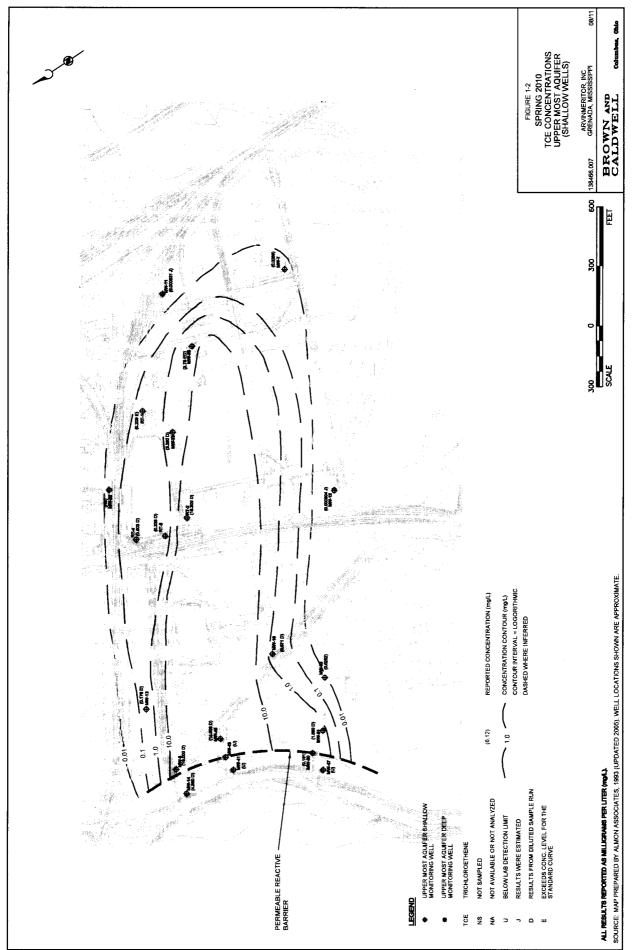
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Brian,

The tables are in the DropBox now.



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Hi Jim.

I've taken a look at the data and it is a bit hard to follow in that format. So, I think either the excel format or the tables you spoke of may be helpful.

Thanks.

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Brian,

Sorry I have not been able to get the Grenada 2013 and 2014 data sets to you yet in the spreadsheet format that you provided. I thought going from our EQUIS formatted files to your format would be relatively easy, and it would have been if our Database Manager had been available. Unfortunately he was not available and we struggled a bit getting this into your format in Excel. Rather than have you wait on the Excel formatted sheet, I have opened a DropBox folder that includes the EQUIS formatted data sets in the folders for each sampling event in 2013 and 2014. The data are all there, but are not in the most usable format. I will also upload the table that we use for the Annual Reports tomorrow. That will allow a review of the key data through history for each well (updated to the end of 2014). If you would prefer to have your formatted Excel sheet, after reviewing the data sets in the DropoBox, let me know and we will get it to you as soon as our Database Manager returns.

You will receive an invite to join the DropBox folder. Let me know if you have any problems accessing the data.

Thank you,



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Thanks for the quick response, Dave.

Most of the comments that will be coming your way for the 2012 revised report won't be format-related. I'll try and get that out pretty quickly so we can move on to the 2013 report.

In terms of data submittals, keep trying to use DART/EQUIS but also the spreadsheet I sent to you may be helpful in getting the data in to us for review. We would like to review the data for 2013/2014 sooner rather than later.

For the MW-20 area investigation, we should have a call soon to discuss those initial results. However, I would like to hear back from our HH risk assessor first. If that is taking too long because of her workload, I'll let you know.

Yes, a May site visit would be ideal. Let me know the dates when they are determined.

Thanks.

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Brian:

I have been in communication with Jim Peeples the last few days concerning the issues you detail below and that we discussed recently on a conference call. We have been holding up on finalizing the 2013 Annual Report until we know if EPA wants any further changes to the report contents or format, based on comments you will provide to us on the 2012 Annual Report. We would prefer to wait for your comments to the 2012 report before issuing the 2013 report inasmuch as we anticipate the changes can be made rather easily once we receive the comments. I hope that this approach is satisfactory to you – please let me know.

Regarding the data, T&M Associates was able to get data submittals in through your EQUIS system for the first few events, however there was a change in the coordinator for the data system and T&M has been hung up in a loop with questions that the coordinator does not seem to be able to answer. T&M believes they have been diligent with trying to get the answers, but feels that the new coordinator may simply be overwhelmed.

I had a teleconference call with T&M this morning concerning the MW-20 Area addendum report. Unfortunately I have not seen a draft report yet and expect T&M will issue me a draft report for my review by mid-April. What I can relay is that the additional soil gas samples (ones to be included in the addendum report) were lower than the highest concentration observed at VP-5. Therefore, the VP-5 data you currently have remains as the worst case result. The most current MW-20 Area report you submitted to your Human Health Risk Assessment group for review is the worst case scenario for VI evaluation which will not change upon issuance of the addendum report.

Finally, I would suggest that Jim and I meet you at the site in May 2015 for our groundwater monitoring event, based on your desire to better familiarize yourself with the site. The final dates for this event should be established within the next 4-5 weeks and communicated to you accordingly.

I hope I have addressed your questions satisfactorily. Thanks.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, March 26, 2015 2:39 PM

To:

James Peeples

Cc: Subject: O'Connor, David A.; Laura Page RE: Grenada Manufacturing

Hi Jim.

I've taken a look at the data and it is a bit hard to follow in that format. So, I think either the excel format or the tables you spoke of may be helpful.

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Sent: Tuesday, March 24, 2015 6:38 PM

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Wednesday, March 25, 2015 9:13 AM

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Friday, February 6, 2015 10:36 AM

To:

James Peeples

Subject:

RE: Grenada

Hi James. I wanted to clarify what you mentioned below. So, you are unavailable after 9:00am all day Tuesday? I was shooting for Tuesday, but we can do Wednesday if needed. Thanks.

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Sent: Thursday, February 05, 2015 2:38 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Anderson, Meredith; O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Grenada

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Brian:

I am available Monday through Wednesday (8:00am to 2:00pm) the week of February 23rd. Thanks for arranging.

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Thanks again for your message, and I look forward to talking to you next month. Have a happy Thanksgiving.

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Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, June 18, 2015 3:02 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

Grenada Site Attorney Contact Info

Dave,

Please find below the contact info for our attorneys for the Grenada site:

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Thanks.

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From:

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Sent:

Friday, June 19, 2015 11:30 AM

To:

James Peeples

Cc:

David O'Connor (David.OConnor@Meritor.com)

Subject: RE: Grenada MW-20 Area 2015 Investigation

Thank you, Jim. Can you please send the dropbox link again? Also, remind me to which comments you are working on responses?

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Sent: Thursday, June 18, 2015 3:57 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: David O'Connor (David.OConnor@Meritor.com)
Subject: Grenada MW-20 Area 2015 Investigation

Brian,

I have uploaded draft figures to the DropBox that we used in the past for MW-20 Area information. The draft figures are in a separate folder called "2015 Investigation". To some extent the figures are self-explanatory, but it is probably best if we have a call to go through these and I can provide some additional information that was used to make the interpretations. Note that the concentrations provided on the cross sections are for total CVOCs (TCE, cDCE and VC combined) and are in uM to allow appropriate accounting for each of the species.

Please let me know when you would be available for a call to go over these results and I will set up a call-in number. Feel free to call me directly as well if you have questions. If you have any trouble accessing the DropBox directory, I can resend a link.

We are also close to being done with responses to the two sets of comments you forwarded to us prior to our meeting at the site in May. We should have these ready to send to you in the near future.

Thanks,



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Thursday, June 18, 2015 3:10 PM

To:

Hodoh, Ofia; Bentkowski, Ben

Subject:

Grenada Manufacturing, LLC MW-20 AOC Work Plan Scope of Work

Ben/Ofia,

It looks like we are ready (potentially) to have this scoping call for the VI work plan based on the report you both reviewed. When would be a good time next week? Please let me know your availability. Thanks.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, June 25, 2015 11:31 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

FW: Final Vapor Intrusion Technical Guides

Attachments:

OSWER Vapor Intrusion Guide - Final.pdf; PVI Guide - Final.pdf; VI Guides Transmittal

Memo_Signed 6-11-15.pdf

FYI and use crafting the VI work plan.

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From: Stanislaus, Mathy

Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2015 3:48 PM

To: OSWER SF Reg DDs; OUST Regional Program Managers; Regional RCRA Directors & Deputies; OSWER OD Deputies

Cc: Breen, Barry; Natarajan, Nitin; Mackey, Cyndy; Kling, David; Michaud, John

Subject: Final Vapor Intrusion Technical Guides

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:

Final Vapor Intrusion Technical Guides

FROM:

Mathy Stanislaus

Assistant Administrator

TO:

Regional Superfund Division Directors

Regional UST Program Managers Regional RCRA Division Directors

OSWER Office Directors

Purpose

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These guides do not impose any requirements or obligations on the EPA, states or tribal governments, or the regulated community. Rather, the sources of authority and requirements for addressing subsurface vapor intrusion are the relevant statutes and regulations.

Background

Certain chemicals released into the subsurface environment may form hazardous vapors that migrate towards and enter buildings or other enclosed structures as a component of a gas. "Vapor intrusion" is the general term given to migration of hazardous vapors from any subsurface contaminant source, such as contaminated soil or groundwater or contaminated conduit(s), into an overlying building or structure. The intrusion of contaminant vapors into indoor spaces raises concern due to potential threats to safety (e.g., explosive concentrations of petroleum hydrocarbon vapors, etc.) and possible adverse health effects from inhalation exposure to vapor concentrations that may be toxic.

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¹ Amendments to CERCLA include the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act.

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, June 25, 2015 9:46 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

Dave,

I recommend having them on the call since today's meeting is only technical in nature and won't involve legal discussions. Call me this morning if you want to discuss.

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Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2015 9:17 AM

To: John Ellis; Rob Uppencamp Cc: Bastek, Brian; Maillet, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

Importance: High

John and Rob:

I forwarded you the meeting notice a short time ago. Please note that at this time we will **not** need ARCADIS on today's call. Sorry for any confusion. Today's call will include legal discussions that will not require ARCADIS to be present onthe call.

I will let you both know the outcome of today's discussions as it relates to VI evaluations.



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Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2015 8:47 AM

To: John Ellis; Rob Uppencamp

Subject: FW: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

When: Thursday, June 25, 2015 12:30 PM-2:00 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

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From: Bastek, Brian [mailto:Bastek.Brian@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, June 23, 2015 5:07 PM

To: Bastek, Brian; Anderson, Meredith; Bentkowski, Ben; Holtzclaw, Brian; Hodoh, Ofia; O'Connor, David A.; James

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Subject: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

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Sent:

Wednesday, June 24, 2015 10:55 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

Right; we'll keep the call the same. It will be a technical discussion about scoping out the work at the residences. The attorneys will sit in, but I don't want the conversation to be dominated by the legal stuff. That can be done on a separate call.

Thanks.

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Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2015 9:47 AM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada Manufacturing MW-20 AOC VI Investigation Work Plan

Brian:

Linda Furlough, Meritor Counselor, and Jeff Karp, Meritor's outside Counsel, talked with Colleen Michuda yesterday I believe. Please talk to Colleen because it is my understanding that both parties want legal representation on the technical call (for tomorrow).



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Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Monday, June 22, 2015 11:50 AM

To:

David O'Connor (David.OConnor@Meritor.com)

Subject:

Technical Call this week

Dave,

Any word on everyone's availability for a technical scoping call this week as we discussed last Thursday? I'm hearing back from a few of the folks on this end.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, June 16, 2015 4:26 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: Mondays' Call

Hi Dave. Meredith and I have met with our attorneys regarding your request for a unilateral order. Can we set up a call with you sometime this week to discuss?

Thanks.

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From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Friday, June 05, 2015 12:43 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Anderson, Meredith; Jim Peeples

Subject: Mondays' Call

Brian:

Hopefully you received my voice message on Thursday about limiting the participants to you, Meredith, Jim Peeples and me. Jim and I had a call with Meritor's outside counsel and we would like to discuss the MW-20 work in advance of discussing technical work with EPA's tech support personnel.

Hopefully you and Meredith can accommodate Jim and me for this discussion on Monday. I suggest we keep the same date, time and call-in number for the four of us to discuss a recommendation from my outside counsel. Please let me know if you agree to this change. Thanks.

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From:

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Sent:

Tuesday, June 16, 2015 2:46 PM

To:

James Peeples

Cc:

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Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing - Hydro review of modeling parameters

Hi Jim.

I hope this finds you well. I was wondering if any of the new data could be shared with me over email or through the dropbox? Thanks.

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From: James Peeples [mailto:JPeeples@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Friday, May 15, 2015 7:22 AM To: Bastek, Brian; Anderson, Meredith

Cc: David O'Connor (David.OConnor@Meritor.com)

Subject: FW: Grenada Manufacturing - Hydro review of modeling parameters

Brian,

Per our call yesterday, I am providing an update on the investigation at the Grenada Site. The attached Figure 1 is the figure used previously to identify the locations of borings and temporary wells to be installed in this investigation. I have circled the wells (in yellow) that have not yet been completed, but I anticipate that these wells will be in place by the time you arrive on Tuesday. All wells in the Railroad Area on the east side of the figure have been installed and sampled. We are awaiting laboratory results for these samples. We are in the process of sampling the wells along SR 332 and are anticipating that all wells will be sampled by the end of next week.

The soil gas testing in the MW-20 Area will be set up today, with some testing completed by the time you arrive on Tuesday.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the work to date. We look forward to showing you the progress of the investigation to date and discussing any preliminary results we will have at that time.

Sincerely,



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From: James Peeples

Sent: Wednesday, April 15, 2015 4:03 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Anderson, Meredith; David O'Connor (<u>David.OConnor@Meritor.com</u>) **Subject:** RE: Grenada Manufacturing - Hydro review of modeling parameters

Brian,

The proposed scope of work for our next mobilization to Grenada is provided below. We plan to begin this work during the week of April 27th. The work will take a few weeks to complete; hopefully you will be able to make it to the site sometime during this mobilization to discuss this work and upcoming work.

The current scope of work is divided into the following two tasks:

- 1. Further delineate the MW-20 Area groundwater plume and source area; and
- 2. Further evaluate potential for soil gas migration from EQ Basin into the MW-20 Area.

Brief descriptions of these tasks are provided below.

Task 1 - Delineate MW-20 Area Groundwater Plume and Source Area

Two primary lines of temporary wells will be installed to aid in the delineation of the MW-20 Area groundwater CVOC plume. One line of borings/wells will be placed along the north-south portion of the rail yard on the east side of the "triangle property" between the railroad branches (see Figure 1). Access to this location has been provided by the railroad, pending a site walkthrough to discuss the access points and safe distances from the tracks. The deep boring at each location will be logged to identify the top of the Upper Aquifer (bottom of the Surficial Clay), the location and thickness of the Intermediate Clay (expected to be encountered at all borings in this area), and the elevation of the Shaley Clay Aquitard. Assuming the presence of the Intermediate Clay, a deep, temporary well will be set in the logged boring that will be fully screened in the Deep Zone of the Upper Aquifer and will be grouted through the Intermediate Clay to seal the Shallow Zone from the Deep Zone. A second, temporary well will then be installed adjacent to the deep boring that will be fully screened within the Shallow Zone. The approximate locations for the temporary borings/wells are shown on Figure 1 (attached).

Following installation of the line of wells (placed at a spacing of about 100 feet on center) east of the MW-20 Area, vertical intervals within the wells will be sampled using packers to obtain groundwater samples at three (3) vertical intervals in each of the shallow and deep well (a total of six (6) vertical sampling intervals for each boring location). The sampling results will be used to define the vertical and horizontal configuration of the plume as it crosses into the "triangle" property west of the main north-south rail line, assuming that the plume crosses this area.

A second line of temporary wells will be installed along the west side of State Route 332 (see Figure 1). To date, an Intermediate Clay layer has not been identified in this area of the site. Sufficient boring locations will be logged to determine if an Intermediate Clay zone is present along this line and to identify other key stratigraphic features of the aquifer. If an Intermediate Clay zone is not encountered in this area, a single, temporary well will be installed at each boring location fully screened through the Upper Aquifer. If an Intermediate Clay layer is identified at a given location, shallow and deep temporary wells will be installed as described above for the rail yard area. Following installation of the temporary wells along State Route 332, each well will be sampled at six (6) vertical intervals as described above.

Following installation of the wells, horizontal coordinates and vertical elevations will be surveyed. The wells will be placed on site maps and water levels from each well will be obtained to provide better resolution for a sitewide potentiometric surface. Stratigraphy obtained from the borings will be used to augment and update existing cross sections that pass through the areas of work.

CVOC concentrations from the vertical intervals within the two (2) primary lines of wells will be combined with historical information from the groundwater monitoring program to draw groundwater plume maps that define source areas contributing to the overall plume at the site. New site-wide potentiometric surfaces will be developed and new plume maps will be drawn. Existing cross-sections located in the area of the new borings will be updated with the stratigraphic information obtained from the borings.

Task 2 – Evaluate Vadose-Zone Sands and Their Interconnection within the MW-20 Area

Additional work is needed in the MW-20 Area to identify the source of CVOCs observed in soil gas in the vicinity of VP-5 and to evaluate options to mitigate soil gas issues in the MW-20 Area if they are determined to present a potential vapor intrusion (VI) risk. Work to date has indicated soil gas from the former Equalization Basin (EQ Basin) is a potential source for CVOC detections in the MW-20 Area. Higher concentrations of CVOCs were observed at VP-3, VP-5, VP-106 and VP-107. Investigation results do not indicate that the observed soil gas concentrations exceed risk-based levels for vapor intrusion (VI).

The testing described in this proposal would be used to determine the degree of interconnection within the vadose-zone sandy soils in the MW-20 Area and in probes that have been installed in the EQ Basin Area. Soil samples will also be collected in the MW-20 Area and analyzed in the laboratory to obtain site-specific data input for the Johnson-Ettinger (JE) model. Soil particle size analysis will be completed to clearly define the proper soil classification to be used in the JE model and soil moisture analyses will be completed to better define the water content of the soil used in the JE model.

The proposed work will involve the installation of an additional soil gas probe/well in the MW-20 Area. Logged Geoprobe borings (and additional borings if needed) within the area of higher soil gas CVOC concentrations will be used to identify the best location for placement of a new soil gas probe/well. The intention is to place the probe/well where a thicker zone of unsaturated sand is present and where the sand is coarser-grained. The probe/well will be installed using a Geoprobe and small diameter augers. The augers will allow placement of a four-inch probe/well at the selected location.

A vacuum blower will be connected to the new soil gas probe/well and potential induced vacuum at soil gas probes throughout the MW-20 Area and the EQ Basin will be measured. The objective of this work is to determine if the vadose-zone sandy soils are interconnected through the MW-20 Area and if these vadose-zone soils are connected with soils in the EQ Basin area. Soil properties that will allow a more site specific JE analysis will also be obtained in this investigation.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this scope of work.

Sincerely,



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Sent: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 9:43 AM **To:** O'Connor, David A.; James Peeples

Cc: Anderson, Meredith

Subject: FW: Grenada Manufacturing - Hydro review of modeling parameters

Hi Jim. Please see some questions below from our hydro geologist who is looking at the J and E modeling. Thanks.

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From: Bentkowski, Ben

Sent: Monday, April 13, 2015 2:58 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: RE: Grenada Manufacturing - Hydro review of modeling parameters

Brian.

I've done my first pass through and had a couple of questions. Do you have any boring logs for the soil gas samples collected or boring logs for the nearby monitoring wells? They want to use the J&E model and I think they should be a bit more specific about the subsurface geology/lithology since the model allows for that. Additionally, do they have any sampling data sheets from sampling the monitoring wells? They say the soil temperature is 50 degrees. That seems a bit low and VI evaluations are sensitive to the temperature of the soil or groundwater.

Basically, I'm looking for some documentation of these important input parameters to the J&E model. The TCE values are pretty high in some places and I need to make sure they are applying the model correctly so they are assessing the risk correctly.

Thanks, Ben

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Monday, June 8, 2015 9:32 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: MW-20 AOC Work Plan for VI

Dave,

Do you have a call in number that we can use so that the conversation remains with just the four of us? Thanks.

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From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Monday, June 08, 2015 9:24 AM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: Accepted: MW-20 AOC Work Plan for VI

When: Monday, June 08, 2015 10:00 AM-10:30 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

Where: Call in

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Sunday, June 7, 2015 8:17 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Cc:

Anderson, Meredith; Jim Peeples

Subject:

RE: Mondays' Call

Hi Dave.

I did receive your email and voicemail from last week that mentioned narrowing the field of Monday's call to just the four of us. I understand if you think there is good reason to do so and I will cancel the call for everyone else. We can keep the same time and call in number since that may simplify things a little. Talk to you both tomorrow morning.

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From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Friday, June 05, 2015 12:43 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Anderson, Meredith; Jim Peeples

Subject: Mondays' Call

Brian:

Hopefully you received my voice message on Thursday about limiting the participants to you, Meredith, Jim Peeples and me. Jim and I had a call with Meritor's outside counsel and we would like to discuss the MW-20 work in advance of discussing technical work with EPA's tech support personnel.

Hopefully you and Meredith can accommodate Jim and me for this discussion on Monday. I suggest we keep the same date, time and call-in number for the four of us to discuss a recommendation from my outside counsel. Please let me know if you agree to this change. Thanks.

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From: Bastek, Brian [mailto:Bastek.Brian@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 10:08 AM

To: James Peeples **Cc:** O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Grenada Call Tomorrow

Hi Jim. I'm working at home today, so I just checked my voice messages. I'm not sure of everyone's availability for next week, but I'll check into it. I am only available on Monday of next week since I will be on vacation Tuesday through Friday. So, if Monday doesn't work for you guys then we will have to postpone it until the following week. Can all three of you do it on Monday? I'll check with folks on my end.

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From: James Peeples [mailto:JPeeples@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 9:58 AM

To: Bastek, Brian **Cc:** O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Grenada Call Tomorrow

Brian,

Did you get my voice message regarding the call time for tomorrow? I am hoping we can reschedule the time for the call per my voice mail.

We are plotting the data we have in hand and working toward making the calls in terms of where the plume is present in the neighborhood and where it may be heading, but we do not have all the data back yet to be able to make those calls. If we delay the call until early next week, we should be in a better position regarding the data we will have in hand and we will be able to provide some figures ahead of the call that will be useful.

Thanks,

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, May 27, 2015 12:31 PM

To: Cc: James Peeples O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: Grenada Call Tomorrow

Jim,

I'm willing to wait on the data, but the overall investigation timeframe can't be delayed too much. Let me check on everyone's ability for June 8th and get back to you; June 9th could also work. EPA would still want to see a work plan that following week though (week of June 15th) in order to remain on schedule.

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From: James Peeples [mailto:JPeeples@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 10:30 AM

To: Bastek, Brian Cc: O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Grenada Call Tomorrow

Brian,

I have a conflict for next Monday, but if Monday is the only day available next week, I will try to make it work. On the other hand, if we do not have the call next week, there would be time to get the necessary figures completed and circulated a few days ahead of the call so everyone would have a chance to digest the new information and be ready to discuss it on the call. I recognize the reason for the time crunch and agree that we want to have this call soon, but the last of our data will arrive on Monday of next week and it will take some time to get it on maps and come to a good understanding of what we have.

Let me know what you think.

Thanks,



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From: Bastek, Brian [mailto:Bastek.Brian@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2015 9:50 AM To: O'Connor, David A.; James Peeples Subject: Grenada Call Tomorrow

Gents,

If you wanted to discuss anything related to the newest data set from the last few weeks, then please provide some of that preliminary data on a figure that we can share with everyone on the call. This may factor in to which houses we are targeting for the initial round of air monitoring.

Thanks.

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, May 27, 2015 9:50 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.; Jim Peeples

Subject:

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Gents,

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Thanks.

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, May 26, 2015 8:48 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

FOIA Request Info

Sent this last week, but maybe should have changed the subject. Hope your holiday weekend was good.

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----Original Message----

From: Bastek, Brian

Sent: Friday, May 22, 2015 2:27 PM

To: 'O'Connor, David A.'

Subject: RE: Grenada Manufacturing, LLC MW-20 AOC Investigation Discussion and Path Forward

Dave,

Here is who was doing the follow up to the original FOIA request. I'm not sure if I was ever forwarded the original request.

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From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Friday, May 22, 2015 2:10 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Subject: Accepted: Grenada Manufacturing, LLC MW-20 AOC Investigation Discussion and Path Forward

When: Thursday, May 28, 2015 10:00 AM-11:00 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada).

Where: Call in number to follow

Brian:

Will you send us the name on the FOIA request?

Enjoy your holiday weekend.

Dave O'Connor

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From:

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Sent:

Friday, May 22, 2015 2:27 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing, LLC MW-20 AOC Investigation Discussion and Path

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Dave,

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, May 20, 2015 5:49 PM

To:

Hodoh, Ofia;Bentkowski, Ben

Subject:

Grenada Manufacturing, LLC MW-20 AOC Report

Hi guys. Can you both be available next week on Thursday possibly to participate in a conference call to discuss your comments regarding the MW-20 AOC investigation report? Please let me know what times work best for you. Thanks.

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Thursday, May 14, 2015 3:52 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.; Jim Peeples

Cc:

Anderson, Meredith

Subject:

Grenada Manufacturing - Regarding potential residential vapor intrusion

Attachments:

2015 Grenada Mfg VI cmts hga edits_final.doc; VIRA_HH_FINAL.docx

Dave/Jim,

Thanks again for taking a few minutes today to discuss EPA's comments on the MW-20 AOC report from January 2014. Attached are the referenced comments for your review. As we stated in the call, once you have reviewed the comments, we can schedule a technical call to answer any questions you may have. In the meantime, EPA requests that Meritor submit an air monitoring work plan to determine if TCE vapors from the groundwater and/or soil are migrating into the residences north of the facility. This work plan should be submitted no later than 15 days following the date of the technical call. All references to support this approach and provide direction in the investigation are contained in the attached memoranda. A formal letter will follow.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY



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MEMORANDUM April 5, 2015

SUBJECT: Review of Vapo

Review of Vapor Intrusion Risk Assessment

MW-20 AOC Report

Grenada Manufacturing Facility (Site)

Grenada, Mississippi

FROM: Ofia Hodoh

Scientific Support Section

Resource and Scientific Integrity Branch

TO: Brian Bastek, Corrective Action Specialist

Resource Conservation and Restoration Division

THROUGH: Glenn Adams, Chief

Scientific Support Section Superfund Support Branch

Per your request, I have reviewed the Vapor Intrusion Investigation Risk Assessment, MW-20 AOC Report for the **Grenada Manufacturing Facility (Site)**, located in Grenada, MS. My review has focused on the human health risk aspects of the document as it pertains to vapor intrusion.

Comment to Corrective Action Specialist:

The author briefly discussed the results of the VI risk assessment based on the Johnson-Ettinger (J&E) modeled indoor air for vapor intrusion. Please consult with a Scientific Support Section (SSS) Hydrogeologist to confirm the accuracy of the J&E modeling parameters.

SPECIFIC COMMENTS:

- 1. **Section 1.1, 3**rd **paragraph, p. 2.** The author indicated that USEPA's J&E vapor intrusion model is the standard method for evaluating VI risks, citing a 2004 USEPA document that does not exist. Please be advised that USEPA has modified its approach to vapor intrusion and does not recommend modeling as the only line of evidence to screen out a site (USEPA, 2013a; USEPA, 2014e). In general, therefore, it is recommended that collection and evaluation of multiple lines of evidence is needed to support decision-making regarding the VI pathway (USEPA, 2012c).
- 2. **Section 1.1, 3**rd **paragraph, p. 2.** The air Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) and Vapor Intrusion Screening Levels (VISLs) for cis-1,2-DCE have been withdrawn from the screening tables therefore, IRIS does not support inhalation RfCs for this chemical (EPA, 2014g).
- 3. **Section 1.2, 2**nd **paragraph, p. 3.** This section states that the J&E model was used to determine total VI risks at each probe. This approach is outdated and problematic.
 - a) USEPA recommends that soil gas samples are compared to the soil gas VISLs (USEPA, 2014f).
 - b) USEPA's VISL calculator is recommended for use in evaluating whether the vapor intrusion pathway has the potential to pose a health concern.
 - c) The J&E model does not account for COPCs that act via a mutagenic mode of action (MMOA) thus underestimating risk posed by the vapor intrusion pathway. Consistent with the Superfund guidance on MMOA, methylene chloride and trichloroethylene (TCE) are categorized as chemicals with a MMOA and their cancer risks shall be estimated using age-dependent adjustment factors (ADAFs) (USEPA, 2005a,b).
 - d) USEPA has recently updated its Standard Default Exposure Factors (USEPA, 2014c) to reduce variability and uncertainty in the exposure assumptions for human health risk assessments. The averaging time and exposure duration used in the J&E model calculation should be revised to 26 years.
- **4. Section 1.3, p.3.** It is indicated that the cumulative cancer risk for the nine probes are below 1E-5, and only one HI slightly exceeded 1. Based on the VISL calculator and modified exposure parameters, SSS noted that four of the nine locations exceeded the 1E-6 risk level (VP-2, VP-3, VP-5 and VP-6); and two locations exceeded the 1E-4 risk level (VP-3 and VP-5). Two locations greatly exceeded an HQ

of 1, due mainly to TCE (VP-3 at HQ of 34, and VP-5 at HQ of 160). The VP-2 location slightly exceeded an HQ of 1.

Recommendation: Since TCE is a site-related constituent, a carcinogen, a developmental toxicant and the highest detected probe (VP-5) is less than 100 ft from the nearest house, it does appear that <u>imminent threat may be present</u>. Early action is warranted to determine if vapor intrusion is occurring at the nearby residence.

- ✓ SSS recommends a multiple lines of evidence approach in evaluating and making decisions about risks from vapor intrusion. The recommendations for future analysis at the VP-5 residence should include:
 - 1. Contact the resident to determine if women of reproductive age (or known pregnancy status) live at the residence located near probe VP-5.
 - 2. Concurrently collecting indoor air samples with subslab soil gas or crawlspace air and outdoor (ambient) air. Comparing these results to each other and to results for subsurface vapor sources can foster insights and support findings about the relative contribution of vapor intrusion and 'background' sources to indoor air concentrations.
 - 3. Collect a time-integrated sample in the area directly above the foundation floor (crawl space) and one from the first floor living or occupied area. In general, samples should be collected at the breathing zone level for the most sensitive receptor. The crawl-space subfloor soil gas data (preferably from more than one sampling event to account for seasonal variability) is vital to assess concentrations potentially available for entry with any intruding soil gas.
 - 4. Prior to sampling indoor air in residential buildings, a home survey form should be completed to identify products used or stored within the residence that can act as potential indoor air sources. Examples of building surveys can be found in the EPA's 2002 guidance (Appendix I, USEPA 2002) and ITRC's 2007 guidance (Appendix G, ITRC 2007).
 - 5. Indoor air sampling data (preferably from more than one sampling event to account for seasonal variability) to assess the presence of subsurface contaminants in indoor air and assess potential exposure levels to building occupants.
 - 6. Collect outdoor air samples from a representative upwind location, away from wind obstructions (e.g., trees or buildings), and at a breathing-zone height (3 to 5 feet). A representative sample is one that is not biased toward obvious sources of

volatile chemicals (e.g., automobiles, lawn mowers, chemical storage tanks, gasoline stations, industrial facilities, etc.).

If I can be of any further assistance or if you have any questions, please call me at 404 562 9176.

References:

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EPA, 2014g. Integrated Risk and Information System, National Center for Environmental Assessment, Office of Research & Development, USEPA. http://www.epa.gov/ncea/iris/ (updates added periodically).

From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Wednesday, May 13, 2015 9:15 AM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Cc:

Jim Peeples ;Anderson, Meredith

Subject:

RE: Grenada Call

Dave,

Thanks for getting back with me. Only Meredith and I will be on this call on our end. Are the times you gave me central or eastern times?

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From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 3:19 PM

To: Bastek, Brian

Cc: Jim Peeples; Anderson, Meredith

Subject: Grenada Call

Brian:

I received your voice message. Jim and I will be in Grenada next week and look forward to your visit next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Jim and I are available for a discussion on the MW-20 soil gas evaluation by your technical group. We are available as follows:

Wednesday:

8:00 - 9:30AM and 11:30AM - 2:00PM

Thursday:

8:00 - 9:30AM and 11:30AM - 1:30PM

Friday:

Noon - 2:00PM

Hopefully the times and dates work for a conference call this week.

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From:

Bastek, Brian

Sent:

Tuesday, May 12, 2015 1:15 PM

To:

O'Connor, David A.

Subject:

FW: Mobilization to Grenada for Additional Work

I received a message that your mailbox was full, so I'm trying to send this email again.

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From: Bastek, Brian

Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:57 AM

To: 'James Peeples' **Cc:** O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Mobilization to Grenada for Additional Work

Dave/Jim,

Looking forward to being onsite next week in Grenada. Will you both be down there?

On a separate note, we did receive our final comments back from both our HH risk assessor and our hydrogeologist on the MW-20 AOC report. Meredith and I would like to have a call with you both in order to discuss these comments and their concerns. Can you make some time in your schedules over the next few days?

Thanks.

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From: James Peeples [mailto:JPeeples@tandmassociates.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 29, 2015 4:49 PM

To: Bastek, Brian **Cc:** O'Connor, David A.

Subject: RE: Mobilization to Grenada for Additional Work

Brian,

That schedule seems good. You will get to see a lot of what is going on in that two-day period.

Thanks,



JAMES PEEPLES, PE

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Sent: Wednesday, April 29, 2015 4:27 PM

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Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:57 AM

To:

James Peeples

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O'Connor, David A.

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Dave/Jim,

Looking forward to being onsite next week in Grenada. Will you both be down there?

On a separate note, we did receive our final comments back from both our HH risk assessor and our hydrogeologist on the MW-20 AOC report. Meredith and I would like to have a call with you both in order to discuss these comments and their concerns. Can you make some time in your schedules over the next few days?

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Thursday, April 2, 2015 2:22 PM

To:

Hodoh, Ofia

Cc:

Adams, Glenn

Subject:

RE: Grenada Manufacturing VI Human Health Memo

Hi Ofia.

The review that was attached to your email below was not the review I requested. That was an old document from 2010. I'll resend the email with attachments that I sent up to Glenn back in early March 2015. Thanks.

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From: Hodoh, Ofia

Sent: Thursday, April 02, 2015 1:42 PM

To: Bastek, Brian Cc: Adams, Glenn

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Hello Brian, attached please find the DRAFT human health risk comments on the Grenada Manufacturing Facility. A FINAL version of this memo will be issued upon review and approval by management.

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Grenada Meredith Anderson

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I am having internet problems so disregard if you are getting this email twice. I have a couple questions about the MW-20 Work Plan and Addendum:

- 1) Do you agree that a sentinel well north of MW-20 is necessary, and not just the new west and east (up-gradient and down-gradient) wells?
- 2) Are you ok with the proposed depths and placement of the new PRB wells?

Thanks.

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I am planning to make a site visit during the new well installation, so please let me know the shedule for that work once it's developed.

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Grenada - FINAL Ofia Hodoh to: Meredith Anderson

08/17/2010 02:40 PM

Hi Meredith,

Attached you will find the FINAL version of the human health memo on the Review of the 2009 Indoor-Air Monitoring Report.



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MEMORANDUM

July 29, 2010

SUBJECT:

Review of the 2009 Indoor-Air Monitoring Report

ICE Industries (Formerly Grenada Manufacturing, LLC)

Grenada, MS

FROM:

Ofia Hodoh

Technical Services Section Superfund Support Branch

TO:

Meredith Anderson, Corrective Action Specialist

RCRA Division

THROUGH: Glenn Adams, Chief

Technical Services Section Superfund Support Branch

Per your request, I have reviewed the 2009 Indoor-Air Monitoring Report, for ICE Industries (Formerly Grenada Manufacturing, LLC), in Grenada, MS.

On the TSS Request Form, you asked specifically that we review the document for compliance with human health exposure criteria. As a human health risk assessor, I have reviewed the ambient air data in comparison to EPA's draft Vapor Intrusion generic screening levels (EPA, 2002c) and the health based Regional Screening Levels (RSLs) for Industrial Air (EPA, 2010) and

From a human health risk assessment perspective, I have the following comments to offer:

General Comment:

The screening levels presented in the original workplan have been updated since the 2003 (formerly OTS) memorandum. These updated screening levels (RSLs), along with a detailed User's Guide and supplementary tables (EPA, 2010), can be accessed directly on-line or downloaded to your own computer. For the carcinogenic contaminants of concern (COCs) (benzene, 1,2-dichloroethane, methylene chloride, trichloroethene, 1,1,2-trichloroethane, tetrachloroethene and vinyl chloride), the formerly OTS proposed screening levels for a 1E-5 risk exposure in the commercial/industrial setting. For this review, TSS screened the

carcinogenic ambient air data against the current Industrial Air RSLs for a 1E-5 risk exposure (see revised Table 2-1 below). According to the workplan, the non-carcinogenic COCs (1,1-dichloroethene, cis-1,2-dichloroethene, trans-1,2-dichloroethene and toluene) screening levels were derived from Table 2b of EPA's Draft Vapor Intrusion Guidance (EPA, 2002c). Since the 2002 draft Vapor Intrusion (VI) Guidance, there have been changes to the Reference Concentration (RfC) values for trans-1,2-dichloroethene (more conservative RfC) and toluene (less conservative RfC) see revised Table 2-1 below.

TSS strongly encourages users of this guidance to research the latest toxicity values for contaminants of interest from EPA's IRIS (IRIS, 2010).

Revised Table 2-1

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	Indoor Air	Industrial Air	Indoor Air	Industrial Air
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	Carcinogens	Carcinogens	Carcinogens	Carcinogens
	(2003 - 2004)	2010	(2003 - 2004)	2010
	HI=1	HI=1	Risk = 10-5	Risk = 10-5
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Benzene	NA	NA	1.6	4.9
1,1-Dichloroethene	50	221	NA	NA
1,2-Dichloroethane	NA	NA	0.4	1.2
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	8.8	no value	NA	NA
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	18	66	NA	NA
Methylene chloride	NA	NA	25.4	75.2
Tetrachloroethene	NA	NA	1	3.1
Trichloroethene	NA	NA	3.7	11.4
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	NA	NA	0.5	1.4
Toluene	110	5813	NA	NA
Vinyl chloride	NA	NA	1.8	10.9

March 2009 Air Sampling Results for Ventilation Zones A and B, Table 4-1

- 1. The detections of the carcinogenic chemicals benzene and trichloroethene are all below their respective RSLs (based on a 1E-5 cancer risk) (EPA, 2010). No other reported detections for carcinogens in this table exceed RSLs for industrial air.
- 2. The detections of the non-carcinogenic chemicals 1,1-dichloroethene, cis-1,2-dichloroethene and toluene are all below their respective VI value (based on a Hazard Quotient of 1) (EPA, 2002c). No other reported detections for non-carcinogens in this table exceed the generic screening levels for VI.

August 2009 Air Sampling Results for Ventilation Zones A and B, Table 4-2

- 1. The detections of the carcinogenic chemicals benzene, methylene chloride and trichloroethene are all below their respective RSLs (based on a 1E-5 cancer risk) (EPA, 2010). No other reported detections for carcinogens in this table exceed RSLs for industrial air.
- 2. The detections of the non-carcinogenic chemicals cis-1,2-dichloroethene and toluene are all below their respective VI value (based on a Hazard Quotient of 1) (EPA, 2002c). No other reported detections for non-carcinogens in this table exceed the generic screening levels for VI.

March, August and October 2009 Air Sampling Results for Waste Sump Zone C, Table 4-3

- 1. The level of 1,1,2-trichloroethane (2.5 ppbV) on March 9, 2009 exceeds the industrial air RSL (1.4 ppbV) (EPA, 2010), but is within the EPA target cancer risk range (1E-6 to 1E-4). The duplicate sample collected from the same location at the same time was not detected for 1,1,2-trichloroethane. No other reported detections for carcinogens in this table exceed RSLs for industrial air.
- 2. The level of toluene (1,700 ppbV) on August 18, 2009 is less than the industrial air RSL screening value (5,813 ppbV) (EPA, 2010), based on a Hazard Quotient of 1. The duplicate sample collected from the same location at the same time had a level of 1,100 ppbV for toluene. Toluene was detected during the other two sampling events (March and October of 2009) however, it was below the VI screening value. The toluene detection is less than the industrial RSL of 5,813 ppbV (based on a Hazard Quotient of 1).
- 3. The detection of the non-carcinogenic chemical cis-1,2-dichloroethene is below its respective VI value (based on a Hazard Quotient of 1) (EPA, 2002c). No other reported detections for non-carcinogens in this table exceed the generic screening levels for VI.

Conclusion

The ambient air samples indicate that vapor intrusion is not a concern in Ventilation Zones A, B and C and therefore no remedial action is required at this present time.

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Attached is the revised Plan with proposed Redline changes per our communications earlier this week. If you formally approve the plan, we will issue a Final Plan and begin the planning process to install the wells.

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Section 1

Introduction

Groundwater monitoring has been conducted at the ICE Industries, Inc. (ICE) facility (the "Site") in Grenada, Mississippi (Figure 1-1) since 1993. Groundwater samples collected from monitoring well MW-20 have historically contained low levels of volatile organic compounds (VOCs). During the most recent groundwater sampling event, conducted in the fall of 2011, the analytical results for the groundwater sample from this well were measured at 86 micrograms per liter (μ g/L) of trichloroethene (TCE), 88 μ g/L of cis-1,2-dichloroethene (cis DCE), and less than 1 μ g/L of vinyl chloride. These concentrations are consistent with past sampling events. Figure 1-2, taken from the 2010 Annual Report, shows the estimated extent of TCE in Upper Zone groundwater. Figure 1-3, also from the 2010 Annual Report, is the Upper Zone Potentiometric Surface map. Upper Zone groundwater flow in the MW-20 area is northwestward, toward Riverdale Creek.

In comments regarding the 2009 Annual Monitoring Report, the Unites States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) indicated that work should be conducted to better define the extent of groundwater impact in the vicinity of well MW-20. Meritor will investigate the extent of groundwater impact near this location, and the Work Plan provided in this submittal describes the methods that will be used to complete the investigation. Upon approval of this Work Plan, Meritor will install an additional well or wells to better define the extent of VOC impact in the northern portion of the groundwater plume, particularly in the MW-20 area.

1.1 Facility History

The Grenada manufacturing facility was constructed by Lyon in 1961 and sold to Rockwell International, Inc. (Rockwell) in 1966. The Automotive Division of Rockwell operated a wheel cover manufacturing facility at the Site from 1966 to 1985, when the plant and property were sold to Textron Automotive Company (Textron), formerly Randall Textron. In 1997, Rockwell spun off its Automotive Division into a corporate predecessor to Meritor, Inc. In 1999, Textron sold the operations and property to Collins and Aikman Corporation, which later transferred the operation to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC (Grenada Manufacturing). In 2008, the plant and property were sold (and leased in part) to ICE.

Throughout much of its history, the facility was used to manufacture automobile wheel covers. Following the acquisition of the Site by ICE, the facility was converted to a stamping plant, providing stamp-formed parts for various industries.

1.2 Summary of Site Remedial Actions

Remedial activities at the Site began in 1990 when waste from the former on-site landfill (SWMU 3) was excavated for off-site disposal, and remediation has continued through 2010 with closure of the former Sludge Lagoon (SWMU 4). The remedial measures have either occurred as interim measures or within the framework of the RCRA Facility Investigation and Corrective Measures Study for the Site. Descriptions of the remedial measures performed are presented in the 2010 Annual Report. The 2010 Annual Report identifies additional documents that can be referenced to obtain further information regarding remedial measures that have been completed at the Site.



1.3 Site Conceptual Model

The stratigraphy at the Site is comprised of a surficial unit containing approximately 8 to 15 feet of clayey silt or silty clay overlying approximately 30 to 50 feet of saturated, fine to medium-grained sands that contain varying amounts of silt. Together, these soils are referred to as the "Upper Aquifer". Within the vicinity of the Main Plant, the sand unit is bisected by a discontinuous clay unit at a depth of 20 to 30 feet below ground surface (bgs). This clay unit was not observed in the western portion of the Site or in the vicinity of the Permeable Reactive Barrier near Riverdale Creek. At the base of the Upper Aquifer the sand unit is a thinly-bedded, slightly-sandy, clayey, silt, which is encountered at depths ranging from 47 to 60 feet bgs and serves as an intermediate confining unit, acting as an aquitard to separate the upper and lower aquifers. This layer is approximately 16 feet thick and has been identified as marl exhibiting much higher blow counts than the overlying soils. Below this unit is another sand layer that comprises the "Lower Aquifer", which is not impacted by VOCs present in the upper aquifer.

The Upper Aquifer is the primary horizontal transport pathway for the Site. Groundwater in this aquifer is generally under semi-confined conditions, flows to the northwest, and discharges into Riverdale Creek. It is believed that Riverdale Creek is in direct communication with the Upper Aquifer, and is a gaining stream in this area.

1.4 Work Plan Organization

The remainder of this Work Plan describes the methods to be used to seek to delineate the northern extent of VOC impact in groundwater. All work will be conducted in accordance with the Site-specific Health and Safety Plan and the approved Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for this Site.



Section 2

MW-20 Area Investigation

2.1 New Well Locations

MW-20 is located near the south edge of a gravel road that runs parallel to railroad tracks and the northern boundary of the Site. This road is used by trucks hauling material to and from the Dunham, Inc. yard located northeast of the Site. Dunham has an easement with the Grenada Railway to use the haul road. North of the haul road are residential properties with back yards that are close to the haul road (Figure 2-1). The residential property lines are adjacent to the north side of the haul road, although the exact property boundaries are not known. The distance from MW-20 to the nearest house is approximately 80 feet.

MW-20 is located 38 feet south of the nearest resident's fence. The distance between the road and the residential fence north of MW-20 is approximately 10 feet. Overhead electric lines running parallel to the north side of the haul road are approximately 12 feet from the road. Therefore, there is very limited access to a suitable drilling location north of MW-20. A boring will be installed north of MW-20 as close to the overhead power lines as can be accomplished safely.

If the groundwater sample collected north of MW-20 is found to contain VOCs at or above MCLs, the boring will be abandoned, and the northern extent of impact in the vicinity of MW-20 will be evaluated using wells installed east and west of the MW-20 location (Figure 2-1). The eastern location is on the north side of the haul road, south of the residential area. The western location is on the west side of Route 332, north of the railroad crossing. Taken together with the potentiometric surface, the groundwater concentrations of VOCs at the locations described above should enable delineation of VOC impact in the northern part of the plume near MW-20.

Utilities will be marked in areas where borings will be installed. BC will contact the State of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of well MW-20.

2.2 Groundwater Investigation

The groundwater investigation will proceed in the following manner:

1. The boring location north of MW-20 (Figure 2-1) will be installed and a depth series of groundwater samples will be collected through the Geoprobe® tooling and field screened using the Color-Tec® field screening methodology. A groundwater sample from the vertical zone with the highest field screening value will be sent to a laboratory for VOC analysis. The sample will be analyzed with a 24-hour turn-around time for analysis. If the analysis of the sample and/or the field screening indicates exceedances of one or more MCLs, the boring will be abandoned and the investigation will proceed in the areas east and west of MW-20 as described in step number 2, below. If the analytical results indicate no exceedances of MCLs, a replacement well for MW-20 will be installed, developed and sampled at this boring location; and steps 2 through 4, below, will not apply. Well MW-20 will be maintained and the new well will replace MW-20 in the sampling program and act as the new northern sentinel well for the groundwater monitoring program. The well will be labeled MW-20R, and will be sampled at the frequency indicated for MW-20 in the sampling plan (following the initial sample obtained for this investigation). The existing



- well MW-20 will be added to the group of wells that are sampled quadrennially until it can be demonstrated that it is no longer needed in the sampling program.
- If the analytical results for the groundwater sample obtained from the boring north of MW-20 indicate an exceedance of MCLs for one or more VOCs, the groundwater investigation will proceed by evaluating groundwater at locations upgradient (east) and downgradient (west) of MW-20.
- 3. A series of three direct-push soil borings will be advanced at the east and west locations shown on Figure 2-1. The borings will be used to better define the nature and extent of VOC impact at these two locations and to select appropriate locations to install sentinel wells.
- 4. The sampling frequency for wells installed east and west of MW-20 will follow the timing that well MW-20 is sampled (based on the groundwater monitoring program). Well MW-20 will remain in the sampling program (unless the location to the north of MW-20 is found to be unaffected by VOCs above MCLs, as discussed in step 1, above).

2.3 Installation and Sampling Methods

Prior to completion of any borings, utilities in the affected areas will be marked. BC will contact the state of Mississippi to coordinate work in the Route 332 right-of-way, and is currently in contact with Grenada Railway regarding access to the east location and the location north of MW-20.

For all boring locations, a Waterloo Sampler® will be advanced using a Geoprobe® until the screened portion of the sampler enters the water table. The first groundwater sample will be obtained from the Waterloo Sampler® (at the water table) and the sample will be field-screened using Color-Tec® methods to detect the presence of VOCs. A groundwater sample will also be collected from the interval for potential laboratory analysis. The Waterloo Sampler® will then be advanced two feet further into the aquifer and this procedure will be repeated. Sampling will continue as described above until reaching a depth of 25 feet, or 15 feet into the zone of saturation to a depth similar to the depth of MW-20. If the field screening indicates that no impacted groundwater is present at a given boring location, a monitoring well will be installed near this location and sampled to confirm the absence of VOCs (well installation methods are described below). Alternatively, if the field screening indicates the presence of VOC-impacted groundwater, the reserved groundwater sample from the vertical interval with the highest field screening value will be sent to the laboratory for VOC analysis and a monitoring well will not be installed at this location.

Where monitoring wells are to be installed, they will be constructed of 1.5-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC), with 15-foot pre-pack well screens. The wells will be installed through direct-push tooling near the location of the soil boring. A foam bridge will be placed above each well screen to keep sealing materials out of the screened interval. The interval above each well screen will be filled with bentonite grout emplaced through tremie pipe, and a steel flush-mount well protector will be set in a concrete pad. The wells will be developed no sooner than 24 hours after completion. Following development, each well will be purged and sampled for VOCs according to Site groundwater monitoring procedures and following the protocols outlined in the QAPP.

Borings that are not used for well installation will be abandoned using bentonite grout emplaced through a tremie pipe. The grout will extend to within one-foot of the ground surface, and the upper foot at the ground surface will be backfilled with soil and compacted.

Field equipment, such as non-dedicated sampling or down-hole equipment will be decontaminated between use at each sampling location following the procedures outlined in the QAPP. Purge water and soils generated during the sampling event and well installation will be placed into Department of Transportation approved 55-gallon steel drums and transported to the on-site staging area for investigation



derived waste (IDW). Groundwater analytical results will be evaluated to characterize the purge water and soils for transportation and disposal by a licensed waste hauler retained by Meritor.

The new well(s), the soil boring location(s), and the utility markings will be surveyed by a licensed professional surveyor. Water levels measured in the wells will be incorporated into future Site Upper Zone potentiometric surface maps.



Section 3

Schedule and Reporting

Within 60 days of receipt of the sample results from the new wells, Meritor will submit a letter report detailing the findings. Soil boring logs and well construction diagrams will be included, along with well development and sampling forms and the analytical results. A potentiometric map of the Upper Zone will be generated using groundwater elevations from existing wells and the new wells. This map will be used to define the extent of VOC impact in groundwater north of the Site using the location(s) of the new well(s) to effectively bracket the MW-20 location, and thus provide better definition of VOC impact in the northern portion of the plume.

Meritor plans to install the new well(s) within 30 days following approval of this Work Plan, assuming that the needed access agreements are in place with the railroad, and will notify USEPA of the date that the work will begin.



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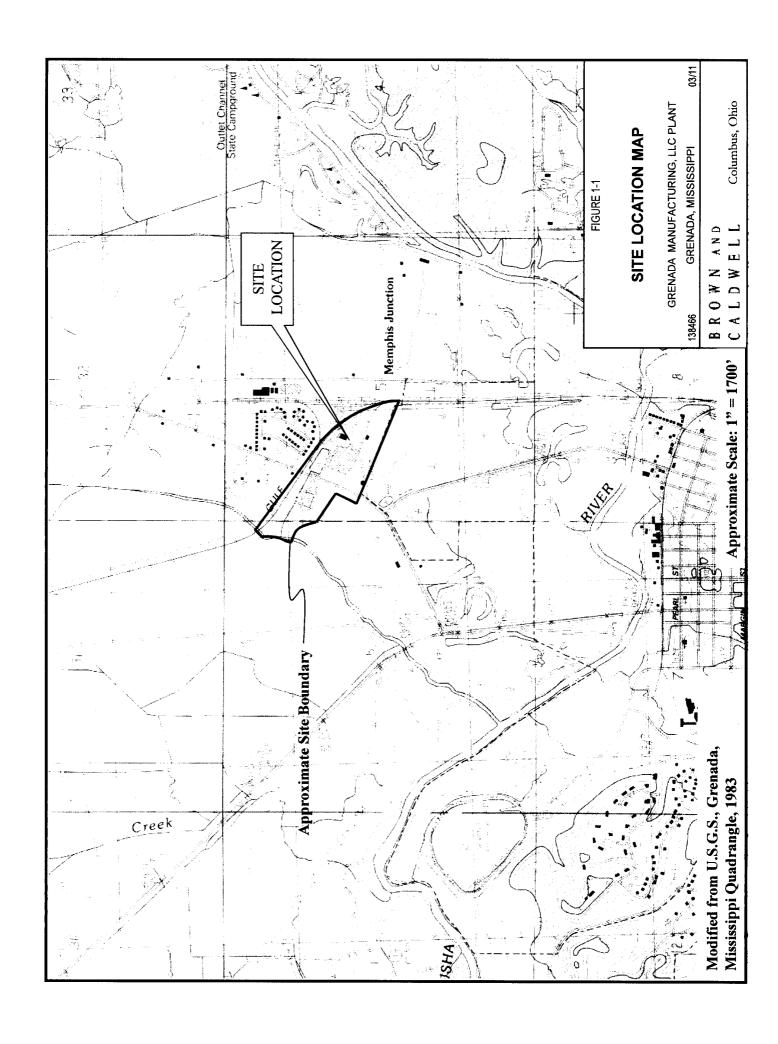
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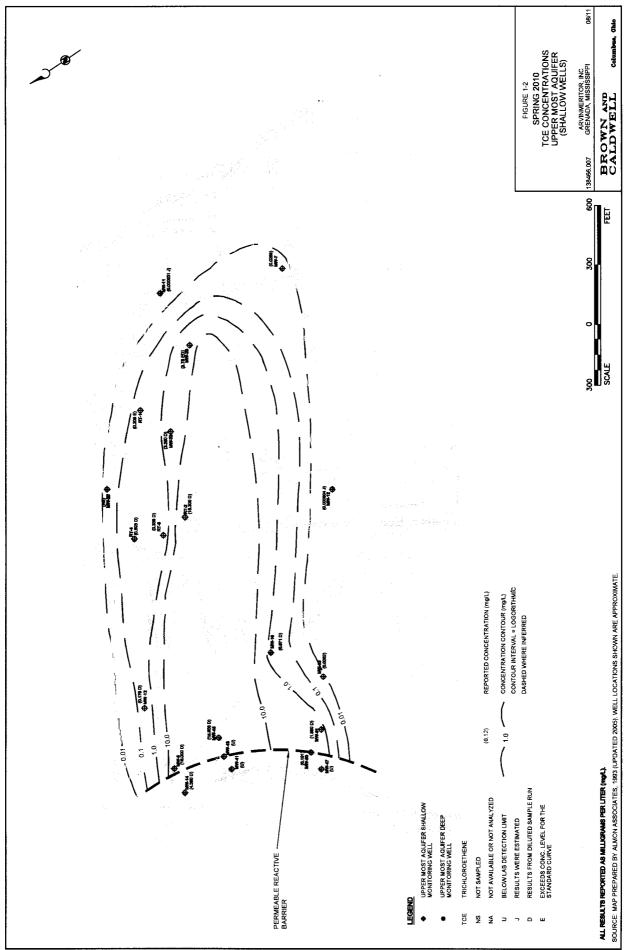
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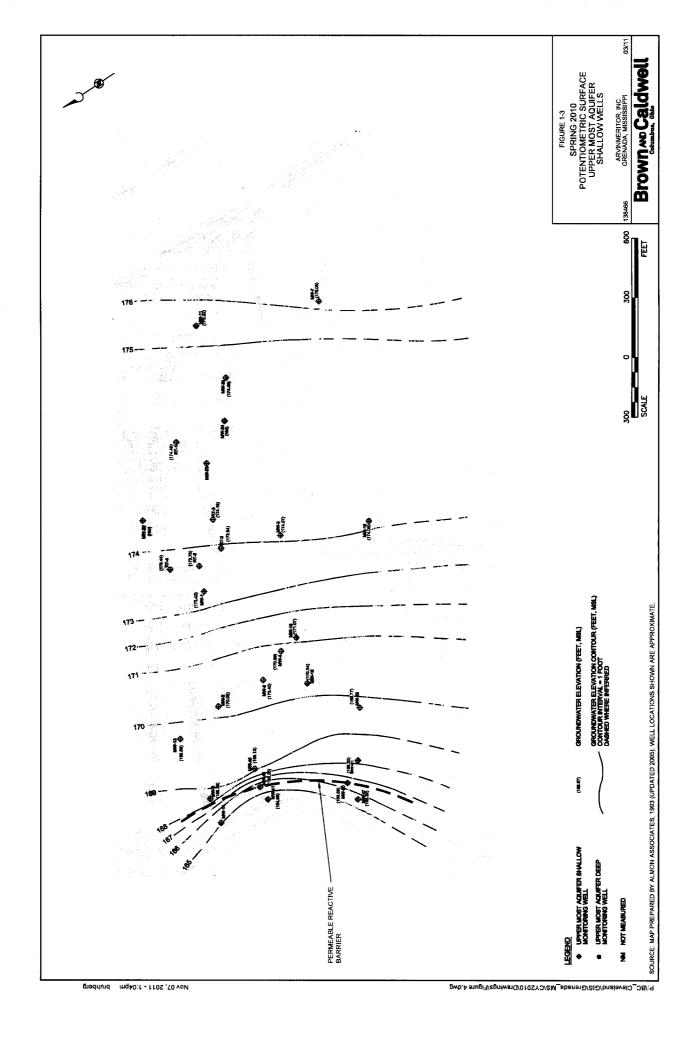


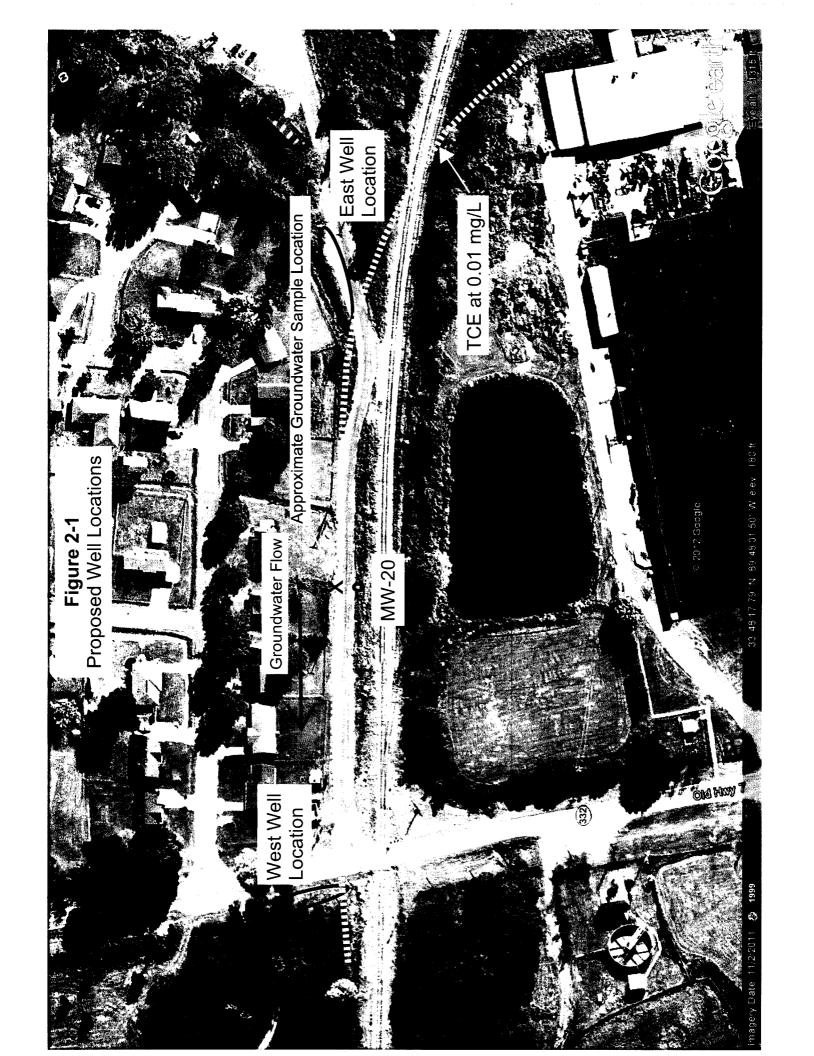
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Section 1

Introduction

In a letter dated March 16, 2012 from the United Stated Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to Meritor, Inc. (Meritor), EPA requested the installation of monitoring wells in addition to the wells indicated in the Work Plan for the MW-20 Area Investigation. In subsequent discussions with EPA, the scope of this additional work was further clarified. The purpose of this addendum to the MW-20 Area Investigation Work Plan is to define the locations of the proposed new wells and the methods that will be used to install, develop and sample the new wells.



Section 2

PRB Area Investigation

2.1 New Well Locations

Two wells will be installed at both the northern and southern ends of the PRB at locations A and C shown on Figure 2-1. The two locations (A and C) are approximately 10 feet back from each end of the wall and 10 feet upgradient of the wall. In addition, a deep well will be installed near the location of MW-14 and is designated as Well B on Figure 2-1. Minor field adjustment of these locations may be required based on the conditions encountered in the field. The letters indicated on Figure 2-1 are included as place holders for the permanent well names, which will be designated at the time of well installation based on the existing sequence of well numbers at the Site and the order in which the wells are installed.

2.2 Installation and Sampling Methods

Soils will be logged continuously to total depth (the encounter of the clay Marl) for each boring location (A, B and C). Representative portions of each 4-foot soil interval will be field screened for the presence of VOCs using the Color-Tec method for screening soils. If the field screening indicates the presence of VOCs, the depth interval will be noted. After the boring has been completed to total depth (the clay Marl) groundwater monitoring wells will be installed in zones with the highest field screening results for VOCs using the methods described below. At locations A and C, two wells will be installed in zones where VOC impact is identified. At location B a single well will be installed at the interval with the highest field screening results.

If no zones of VOC impact are identified with the field screening, two wells will be placed at each end of the PRB (locations A and C). In this case, the wells would be constructed with 20-foot screens centered on the upper and lower PRB panels in these locations. At location B, if the field screening does not indicate a zone of VOC impact, a well will-not be installed with a 20-foot screen centered within the lower zone.

All monitoring wells will be constructed of 1.5-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC), with 15-foot prepack well screens, installed through direct-push tooling at the location of the soil boring. The screen intervals for the wells installed at the ends of the PRB will approximate the center of the lower panel for the deep wells and the center of the shallow PRB panel for the shallow well. The base of the deep well in the location of MW-14 will be placed just above the lower confining clay layer at this location.

A foam bridge will be placed above each well screen to keep sealing materials out of the screened interval. The interval above each well screen will be filled with bentonite grout emplaced through tremie pipe, and a steel flush-mount well protector will be set in a concrete pad. The wells will be developed no sooner than 24 hours after completion. Following development, each well will be purged and sampled for VOCs according to Site groundwater monitoring procedures and following the protocols outlined in the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP).

Field equipment, such as non-dedicated sampling or down-hole equipment will be decontaminated between use at each sampling location following the procedures outlined in the QAPP. Purge water and soils generated during the sampling event and well installation will be placed into Department of Transportation approved 55-gallon steel drums and transported to the on-site staging area for investigation



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The new wells, the soil boring locations, and the utility markings will be surveyed by a licensed professional surveyor. The new wells will be sampled semiannually as a part of the ongoing monitoring program for the site, until it is determined that a longer duration between sampling events is appropriate for one or more of the wells. At that time, a new sampling frequency will be proposed and submitted to EPA for review and approval. Water levels measured in the wells will be incorporated into future potentiometric surface maps.



Section 3

Schedule and Reporting

Within 60 days of receipt of the sample results from the new wells, Meritor will submit a letter report detailing the findings. Soil boring logs and well construction diagrams will be included, along with well development and sampling forms and the analytical results. Potentiometric maps of the Upper and Lower Zones will be generated using the groundwater elevations from existing wells and the new wells.

Meritor plans to install the new wells in within 30 days following approval of this Work Plan Addendum, and will notify USEPA of the date that the work will begin.



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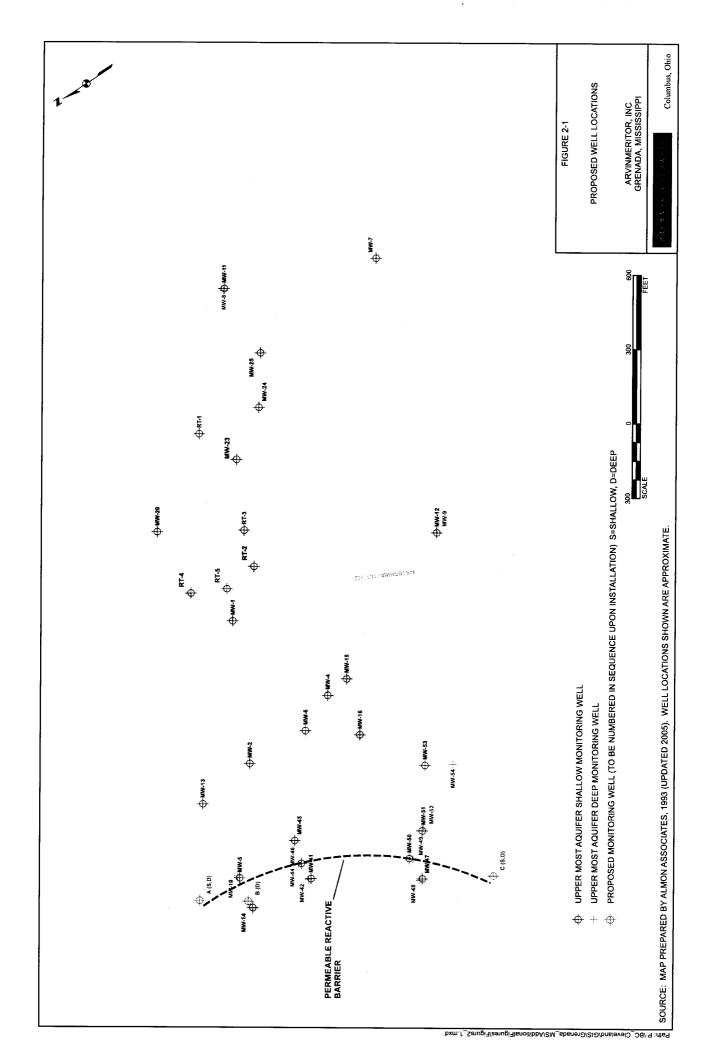
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Meredith:

Are you and Dave Jenkins available today after 3:00 pm to discuss Grenada with Jim Peeples and me?



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Grenada 4/26/12 meeting summary

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to:

O'Connor David A., Al-Fayyomi Ihsan, Jim Peeples

04/30/2012 05:54 PM

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Grenada County CDBG ED Project Woody Sample to:

Meredith Anderson 09/06/2012 05:25 PM

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To: Meredith Anderson/R4/USEPA/US@EPA, Please respond to johnvvoodsample@yahoo.com

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Meredith:

Grenada County is seeking CDBG monies to implement roof and interior building improvements to the County owned building presently housing Grenada Stamping. To your knowledge of the area, will any interior building or roof improvements be effected by any condaminations issues at the site? There is no digging proposed in the implementation of the roof and building improvements.

Your timely response will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks!

Woody Sample



Grenada HZWA Permit Modification

Al-Fayyomi, Ihsan

to:

Meredith Anderson 08/25/2010 04:23 PM

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"O'Connor, David A."

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Meredith;

Good afternoon, I am just following up on my previous e-mail regarding the deletion of the air monitoring program from the permit as it was advised by Don Webster. Please let me know if there is anything else that you need from me to get the issue resolved. Have a great day and I look forward to talking with you soon.





Grenada Indoor Air Report

Meredith Anderson to: Ofia Hodoh

Bcc: anderson.meredith

03/02/2010 10:10 AM

Hi, Ofia,

I wanted to check in with you to make sure you found the CDs of the Grenada Indoor Air Report. Hopefully, they have made your job easier - it's quite a report! Let me know how your review is going and if you need anything else from me. Thanks for your help.



Grenada Indoor Air Report on CDs

Meredith Anderson to: jpeeples, IAIFayyomi

Bcc: anderson.meredith

02/19/2010 04:52 PM

Thank you for the CDs of the Grenada Indoor Air Report. I received them this week and forwarded them to our technical reviewer. I'll be in touch with you about any comments she has. Thank you.



Grenada Manufacturing Draft HSWA Permit, Fact Sheet, and Public Comment Period

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Meredith Anderson} & to: & Toby_Cook, dwilliams, David.OConnor, \\ \textbf{JSchiff} & \end{tabular}$

06/03/2010 02:02 PM

Cc: knight.karen, Greg Luetscher, RobertG Stewart

Bcc: anderson.meredith

To keep everyone up to date on the permit renewal process, below is a brief update on recent activities:

The 45 day public comment period for the Grenada Manufacturing LLC draft HSWA permit began on May 28, 2010 and will conclude on July 12, 2010. A Public Notice was published in the Grenada Star on 5/28 and 6/1 and will also be published on 6/4 and 6/8. The Fact Sheet was mailed to a site mailing list which included local residents, local officials, and State and Federal stakeholders. Additionally, a copy of the draft permit and the Fact Sheet were left at the site information repository at the local library, and Don Williams has a copy for the facility information repository as well. Attached for your records are electronic versions of these documents.

Also, I overviewed the sludge lagoon solidification process last week with field personnel from EPA's SESD office/Athens and was pleased to see that it is progressing very well. Field operations were very professional, and the crew was extremely hospitable and helpful in explaining the technical process, the challenges (and solutions) they have encountered, and the remaining stages of the project. Barring unforeseen delays, they are expected to complete this phase of the cleanup by end of July.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or comments on the enclosed information.



Grenada Draft HSWA Permit.2010 Permit Renewal.052110.mca.doc



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Grenada Site Location Map. Figure 1.2010 Permit Renewal.pdf



Grenada SWMU Site Map. Figure 2.2010 Permit Renewal.pdf



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Grenada Manufacturing LLC HSWA Permit renewal

Meredith Anderson to: JSchiff

Bcc: anderson.meredith

04/30/2010 03:02 PM

Mr. Schiff,

As a follow-up to my email of 3/19/2010 concerning the Preliminary Draft HSWA Permit for the Grenada Manufacturing LLC facility in Grenada, MS, I am contacting you to inquire about comments from Textron Inc. on the draft permit. The permit renewal process is moving forward, and I currently expect to be scheduling the public comment period to begin sometime in June. I will keep you abreast of our exact schedule as it becomes clearer to me. If there are any comments from Textron pertaining to the Preliminary Draft permit, please let me know as soon as possible. If you feel there is a need to have a conference call to discuss comments you may have, please let me know that as well. I am happy to set that up. The permit does not differ in any significant way from the draft 2008 permit prepared by Don Webster, EPA - only the formatting has been updated per our program requirements.

Thank you for your input in this process. I will keep you informed about the permit renewal schedule as we proceed.



Grenada Manufacturing site - Fw: Meeting this week-MDEQ participation

Meredith Anderson to: Carla Brown

04/25/2012 11:51 AM

Below is the call-in info for tomorrow's meeting with Meritor at 1:30. Glad you can join us. Please forward to Kyle and any others, as needed. Thank you.

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Date:

04/25/2012 08:24 AM

Subject:

RE: Meeting this week-MDEQ participation

Meredith:

The numbers below are for the call-in to our discussions tomorrow afternoon. Please call me today with any questions; otherwise I will see you and David tomorrow.

Phone No.:

1-877-929-7754

Access Code: 8559392#



David A. O'Connor Corporate Environmental Manager Environmental, Health and Safety Department 248.435.2706 tel

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From: Meredith Anderson [mailto:Anderson.Meredith@epamail.epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 24, 2012 3:53 PM

To: O'Connor, David A.

Subject: Meeting this week-MDEQ participation

Hi Dave,

MDEQ would like to participate in our meeting this week via conference call. They are interested in keeping up to date on the issues we will be discussing. Would you be able to arrange for a conference line? Thanks.

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Grenada Manufacturing Site - MW-20 Area Investigation Report and Work Plan James Peeples

to:

Meredith Anderson 12/17/2012 08:16 PM

Cc:

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Grenada MW-20 Area Investigation and Additional Work Plan.pdf

Meredith,

Please find attached the report for the MW-20 Area Investigation completed in October 2012 in the area adjacent to the Grenada Manufacturing Plant in Grenada, MS. The report provides a summary of the work completed and the field and analytical data obtained from the investigation. As you were aware from your time at the site during the investigation, additional work will be needed to delineate the zone of groundwater impact, determine the source of the impact, and evaluate soil gas in this area. Due to the desire to move the additional work along more quickly, the report also contains a work plan for the proposed next phase of the investigation. Upon your review and approval of this phase of work and the proposed next phase of work, Meritor will proceed with the additional investigation work.

Please let me know if you have any questions about the report or the proposed next phase of the investigation.

Sincerely,

James Peeples, PE Principal Engineer



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Grenada Manufacturing, LLC draft Fact Sheet

Meredith Anderson to: dwilliams, David.OConnor, JSchiff

Bcc: anderson.meredith

05/07/2010 02:14 PM

As I prepare for the upcoming public comment period for the Preliminary Draft HSWA Permit renewal, I have developed a draft Fact Sheet to mail to the site mailing list. This is attached for your review. Please let me know if you have additional info you would like to add to this Fact Sheet. I would also welcome suggestions of citizens, local community groups, local govt., etc. to add to the mailing list. The RCRA program is improving upon its community engagement efforts, and developing a more comprehensive and site-specific mailing list is one of the ways we are doing that.

Thank you for your input. I look forward to hearing from you.



Permit Renewal Fact Sheet 2010.doc

HAZARDOUS AND SOLID WASTE AMENDMENTS

PERMIT RENEWAL STATEMENT OF BASISFACT SHEET

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INTRODUCTION

This Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Permit Renewal Fact Sheet (Fact Sheet) is prepared for a Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984 (HSWA) Permit renewal which was developed by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for Grenada Manufacturing, LLC. Grenada Manufacturing, LLC is located at 635 Highway 332 in Grenada, Mississippi, 38901. The EPA ID number of this site is MSD 007 037 278.

This Fact Sheet sets forth the principal facts of this ten (10) year HSWA Permit renewal.

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Environmental Protection Agency [EPA] in order to invite the public to comment on the proposed HSWA Permit renewal. The HSWA Permit for Grenada Manufacturing, LLC will be renewed for a ten (10) year period. This draft Permit is consistent with the previous HSWA Permit for this site, and no changes are being proposed to the existing remedy. EPA is soliciting all relevant information pertaining to this renewal, including public comment, to ensure that the draft HSWA Permit renewal complies with all State and Federal regulations. Public review and comment on the draft Permit and supporting documentation is an important element in the evaluation and resulting recommendation to the EPA Region 4 Regional Administrator. It is subject to change based on information received as a result of public participation. Any and all comments are encouraged. How

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Do You Participate?

The public comment period for the proposed remedy Permit renewal will begin on May 7, 20105. the date that a notice of the SB's availability is published in a major local newspaper of general circulation. The public comment period will end 60 days thereafter.

Persons wishing to comment upon the draft HSWA Permit are invited to submit comments in writing to Ms. Meredith Anderson at the address shown below NO LATER THAN the public notice end date of _____, 2010.

Ms. Meredith Anderson USEPA Region 4 61 Forsyth Street S.W. Atlanta, GA 30303 (404) 562-8608 anderson.meredith@epa.gov

A public meeting will be held if EPA Region 4 finds a significant degree of public interest in the proposed Permit. If a public meeting is held, the time and place of the meeting will be published at least thirty (30) days prior.

After consideration of all written and oral comments received during the public comment period, EPA Region 4 will make a decision regarding HSWA Permit issuance. If the determinations are substantially changed, another public notice indicating the revised determinations will be issued.

The draft HSWA Permit and other supporting technical documents can be viewed in Adobe Acrobat format on EPA Region 4's websitesite at:

http://www.epa.gov/region4/index.htmlhttp://www.epa.gov/region4/waste/rcra/PublicNot ices.htm.

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Attn: Mr. Donald Williams 662/226-1161 x6113

dwilliams@iceindustries.com

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FACILITY BACKGROUND

Facility Description

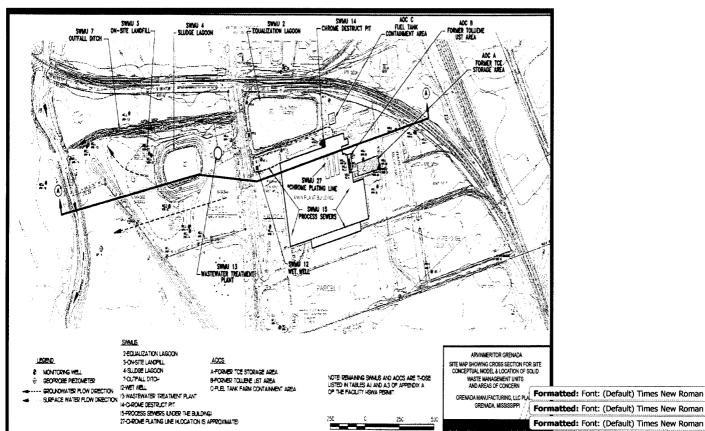
Rockwell Automotive North America Inc. [now-Arvin-Meritor] operated a wheel cover manufacturing facility in Grenada, Mississippi from 1966 to 1985 before selling the operations and property to Textron Automotive Company, formerly Randall Textron, who then sold the operations and property to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC in 1999. Grenada Manufacturing, LLC [the Permittee] continues to operate the wheel cover plant but has made several modifications to the product line produced, including the elimination of the chrome plating line for wheel covers. In November 2004, Grenada Manufacturing, LCC filed for Chapter 7 bankruptcy and the facility was acquired by Ice Industries, Inc., who continues to operate a metal stamping facility at the plant. Over the past ten (10) years, many modifications have been made to the product line, which have eliminated waste streams, including the chrome plating line for wheel covers. Ice Industries, Inc. is not a RCRA treatment, storage or disposal facility; however, it generates RCRA hazardous wastes. Therefore, the HSWA Permit continues to be issued to Grenada Manufacturing, LLC.

The plant property includes approximately 100 acres bisected by State Highway 332. The portion of the sitesite east of the highway is bordered by the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad to the north and east, a swampy area to the south, and the highway to the west. The area west of Highway 332 is bordered by the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad to the north, residential property to the south, the highway to the east, and Riverdale Creek to the west {(Figure 1}). The facility is located in an industrial park.

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Regulatory History

In accordance with the facility's HSWA] Permit issued July 31, 1998, by EPA, the facility is undergoing HSWA Corrective Action for prior releases of hazardous waste, including hazardous constituents from various specified Solid Waste Management Units ([SWMUs)]. The RCRA Facility Assessment was conducted in 1997, identified and identified twenty six (26), SWMUs and three (3), Areas of Concern (AOCs). Subsequently in 2002, one more SWMU, the Chrome Plating Line, was identified and added to the list of SWMUs for a total of twenty seven (27).

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To that end. Interim Measures [] to clean up the Grenada Manufacturing Grenada Manufacturing, LLC facility Site were required by EPA Region 4_in_2000. These activities included a site-wide groundwater monitoring system, source removal, and excavation of contaminated soils. _In 2003, EPA ealled for equested that a final Corrective Measures Study [he prepared that would encompass the cleanup measures remedy for the entire sitesite. In 2004, indoor air monitoring was conducted and found to be negative. A Permeable Reactive Barrier was installed in 2005 as an Interim Measure to treat the groundwater plume and has become a major component of the final remedy. The HSWA Permit was modified and public noticed for the final remedy in 2005. This final remedy consisted of source recovery at AOCs A & B, stabilization of the Sludge Lagoon, continued groundwater monitoring, continued operation and maintenance of the Permeable Reactive Barrier, and select institutional controls.

In 2009, an additional round of indoor air monitoring was conducted, and a review of these results is ongoing. The last component of the final remedy, stabilization of the Sludge Lagoon, will be completed during the summer of 2010. There are no human exposures to, or offsite releases of, hazardous constituents or hazardous wastes at the site.

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Sent: Mon Apr 16 15:55:38 2012

Subject: RE: EPA Comments on 2010 GW Monitoring Report

I finally caught up with Dave Jenkins and confirmed that he is available on the 26th, as am I, for a meeting in Atlanta. Let me know what time works best with your travel plans and we will accommodate accordingly. (Please send the address again also - Sandy Springs area, correct?)

Thank you for your patience.

Meredith

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Date: 04/12/2012 01:24PM

Cc: "Al-Fayyomi, Ihsan" < IAlFayyomi@brwncald.com > , "Jim Peeples "

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Subject: RE: EPA Comments on 2010 GW Monitoring Report

Meredith:

April 20th will not work for me inasmuch as I will still be in Indiana working on several cleanup projects. Ihsan, Jim and I would be available to come to Atlanta for a Thursday meeting on April 26th if that works for you and David – meet at Brown & Caldwell's office again for a morning meeting again?



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Grenada meeting tomorrow

Meredith Anderson to: Dave Jenkins

04/25/2012 11:56 AM

We are meeting tomorrow at 1:30 at the address below. How about a pre-meeting?

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"Peeples, Jim" <JPeeples@brwncald.com> 04/17/2012 11:21 AM

Date:

Subject:

RE: EPA Comments on 2010 GW Monitoring Report

Meredith;

Good morning and looking forward to seeing you again, here is our address:

Brown and Caldwell 990 Hammond Drive, Suite 400 Atlanta, GA 30328

Phone: 770-394-2997 Fax: 770-396-9495

We are proposing to meet at our office on the 26th @1:30 PM. Have a great day.

From: O'Connor, David A. [mailto:David.OConnor@Meritor.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 17, 2012 11:12 AM To: Anderson.Meredith@epamail.epa.gov Cc: Al-Fayyomi, Ihsan; Peeples, Jim

Subject: Re: EPA Comments on 2010 GW Monitoring Report

Thanks Meredith. Jim or Ihsan will send you directions to their office with the time.

Dave O'Connor

From: Meredith Anderson < Anderson. Meredith@epamail.epa.gov>

To: O'Connor, David A.

Cc: Al-Fayyomi, Ihsan <IAlFayyomi@brwncald.com>; Jim Peeples <jpeeples@brwncald.com>

From: Meredith Anderson [mailto:Anderson.Meredith@epamail.epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 11, 2012 5:28 PM

To: O'Connor, David A.

Subject: EPA Comments on 2010 GW Monitoring Report

Per EPA's 3/16/12 letter, attached are review comments on the 2010 Monitoring Report. I have put the hard copy of these comments in the mail to you today. Call with any questions. Are you still considering April 20 in Atlanta for a meeting?

(See attached file: Grenada 2010 Monitoring Report review comments.final.041112.pdf)

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Grenada MW-20 Work Plan and Addendum

Fri 08/10/2012 10:00 AM - 11:00

AM

Attendance is **required** for Meredith Anderson Chair: David.OConnor@Meritor.com

Location:

Conference Call

Required:

jpeeples@tandmassociates.com, anderson.meredith@epa.gov

Description

DAVID O'CONNOR invites you to attend an audio conference.

Conference dial-in number:

access code:

Personal Notes



Grenada RCRA HSWA site

Meredith Anderson to: Ofia Hodoh

Bcc: anderson.meredith

04/16/2010 05:01 PM

Hi Ofia,

I thought I'd touch base with you about the Grenada Indoor Air report review - it's been a while since we last talked. I've been consumed with new duties related to community engagement activities at our sites, so I apologize for the long delay.

Let me know how your review is going. I will be travelling next week to a site south of Grenada, MS and will get a chance to also make a site visit to Grenada Manufacturing. I'll check in with you the week of 4/26 for an update. Thanks so much.



Grenada site maps Meredith Anderson to: jpeeples

05/20/2010 10:46 AM

Jim,

I hate to bother you with this request, but I am in need of a good quality electronic site map that illustrates all the Grenada SWMUs (for inclusion in the permit and fact sheet). Do you have one that you can easily send to me? I currently have a map I'm using in these documents, but it is of mediocre quality. Unfortunately, I need this asap, so if it's too much trouble, I'll go ahead with the one I have. Thought I'd check, though, just in case. Thanks so much.



Grenada Site MW20 Area Work Plan DNJenkins Comments

Dave Jenkins to: Meredith Anderson

Cc: jenkins.dave

05/23/2012 02:35 PM

Regarding the MW20 Area work plan at the Grenada site, my only comment concerns Section 2.2

2.2 Installation and Sampling Methods

"A series of three direct-push soil borings will be advanced at the east and west locations shown on Figure 2-1. The borings will be used to attempt to define the extent of VOC impact at these two locations and to select appropriate locations to install sentinel wells. The soils will be logged continuously to a depth of 25 feet, or 15 feet into the zone of saturation to a depth similar to the depth of MW-20. Representative portions of each 2-foot soil interval will be placed in sealed bags for headspace screening. Groundwater samples will be collected at each soil boring through the Geoprobe tooling. These samples will be delivered to Argus Analytical Laboratories in Jackson, Mississippi for VOC analysis with a 24-hour turnaround time. The new monitoring wells will be placed at the locations of the soil borings closest to the current estimated extent of VOC impact."

DNJ COMMENT: The well installation and sampling method described above should be supplemented with the use of ColorTec tubes if this is not already the field screening tool planned for use. This screening technique may have been discussed already with the Brown & Caldwell staff. But in case it has not been discussed, ColorTec tubes could be used as a field screening tool for many chlorinated compounds including PCE, TCE, DCE, VC, carbon tetrachloride & Others (See page 10/19). Field screening provides the field team with information which identifies possible locations for well screen placement and improves the chances that the well screen will be placed in the proper part of the formation. Field screening with ColorTec should be followed by laboratory confirmation where ColorTec screening indicates contamination may be present. Vertical profiling in 2-foot soil intervals may be very informative, but it isn't clear how samples would be selected for laboratory analysis. If field screening is performed properly at 2-foot intervals, only a few samples/well will need to be sent for laboratory analysis. The bagged 2-foot samples can be heated on the dashboard of a car then sampled as described in the document attached below.

This is a good field screening tool for many chlorinated compounds including PCE, TCE, DCE, VC, carbon



tetrachloride & others (E&E_color_tec 2006.pdf See page 10/19). This technique has been used at numerous sites in EPAR4 during the last 10 years and has had wide-spread use in the Florida DEP Dry Cleaners program for delineating the occurrence an extent of chlorinated solvent contamination in soil and groundwater. Field screening provides the field team with information regarding chlorinated solvents which is not available from typical PID or FID field screening tools. These data can identify possible locations for well screen placement and help insure the screen is of the right length and is set in the right place.

Please call me if you have any questions.

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Date: Subject:

ColorTec tubes detect Carbon Tetrachloride!!

[attachment "E&E_color_tec 2006.pdf" deleted by Dave Jenkins/R4/USEPA/US]

This should be a good field screening tool for many chlorinated compounds including PCE, TCE, DCE, VC, carbon tetrachloride & Others See page 10/19



Grenada Sludge Lagoon Project Schedule O'Connor, David A.

to:

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Grenada Schedule 3-1-10 Start.pdf

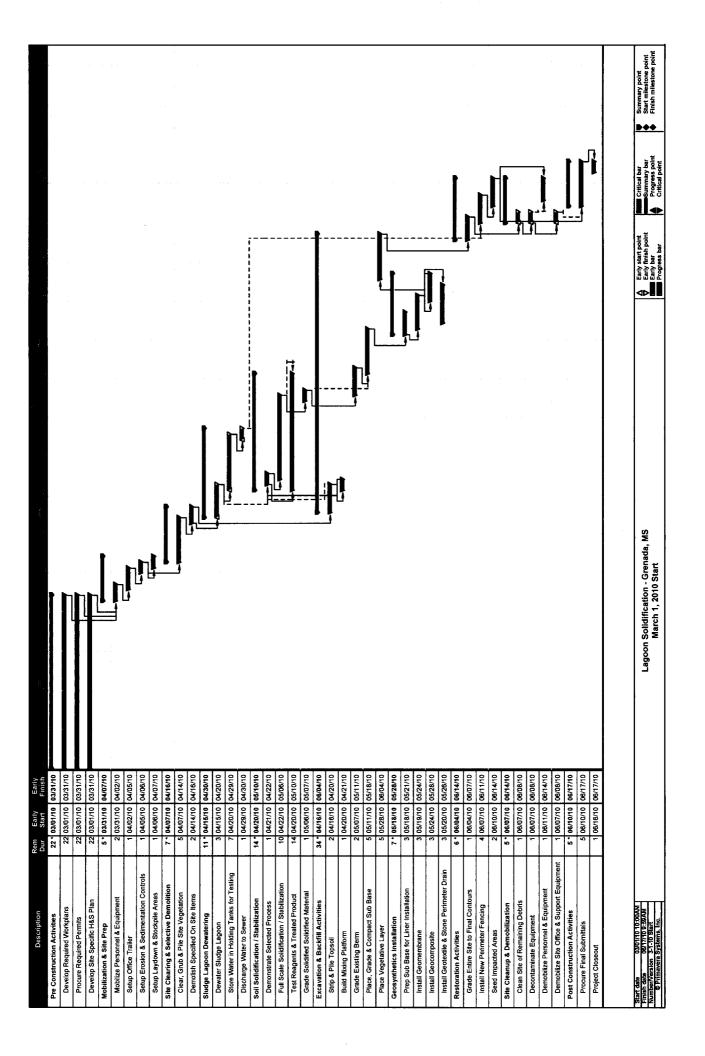
Meredith:

Attached is the project schedule for the sludge lagoon work at Grenada, MS. Please call me with any questions.

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Grenada update

Meredith Anderson to: O'Connor, David A.

Bcc: Meredith Anderson

11/09/2012 04:26 PM

Hi David,

I was very glad that I was able to get on-site during some of the work in the MW-20 area last month. It was a good learning experience for me to see how the color tech screening process worked, and your field crew did an excellent job. I was disappointed and perplexed, as Jim was, with the results that were noted north of that area - we definitely have a challenge now to figure out what's going on. Can you give me a status of that mobilization effort? - did the semi-annual sampling occur as planned, when do you expect analytical data from the lab, when do you want to discuss the next steps and a plan of action going forward?

Thanks so much. I am travelling next week but will be checking my email frequently.



Grenada update Meredith Anderson to: jenkins.dave

10/18/2012 01:28 PM

Hi Dave,

I'm onsite here in Grenada. Our PRB wells went in earlier this week. the well north of MW-20 shows chlorinated contaminants at 17' to 25' by color rec tube method. We are now moving east to put in the next well north of the train tracks. Then west. Will update you again later.